

Austrian Armies Are Being Slowly Battered to Pieces on Italian Front

GERMANS PUT UP BITTER FIGHT EAST OF MEUSE

BY FRED S. FERGUSON...

With the American Armies in France, Oct. 29.—While the Mezieres-Longuyon Railway is under fire of the American long-range guns, the Germans are putting up their bitterest struggle east of the Meuse. The Belleu woods positions are now the keystone of the entire front. If the Americans capture these heights they will have a clean sweep over the valley to the Mezieres-Longuyon Railway, and the enemy will be forced to retire behind that line.

Smashing of these heights positions and an advance across the valley, the comparatively short distance to Mont Medy (25 miles directly north of Verdun) would be equal in importance to the longer advance to Mezieres (28 miles northwest of Mont Medy).

Belleu Wood, south of Wavrille (three quarters of a mile southwest of Damvillers) which has been the scene of violent fighting for days is now held by the Americans, although they must still take the heights on either side. The wood was first taken by storm then lost as the result of a boche counter-attack with heavy reinforcements. The fighting swayed back and forth until the wood was restored.

This is an example of the resistance the Germans are putting up all along the important ridges which are bounded on the west by the big bend in the Meuse, in the region of Briell.

In addition to giving the Americans command of the valley stretching to Mont Medy, capture of these heights will result in flanking the Brey iron fields and bringing the roads from that region under our military fire.

Should the enemy be forced back of Mont Medy and Longuyon, the entire line to the westward (in the Aisne region) would necessarily be compelled to recede, bringing historic Sedan (scene of the decisive battle of the Franco-Prussian war, ten miles south of Mezieres) again into the battle area.

While the Americans are gnawing away east of the Meuse, they are exerting equal pressure along the heights of the Aire valley beyond Gondreville. Here the French on the left, are playing a most important role, pushing on beyond Vouziers and starting formation of a salient with the American left as a peak. The Germans, however, are protected in this movement by a continuation of the heights over which the Americans must fight by inches.

The weather is greatly improved and there is increasing activity ev

NEW HUN PLEA TO THE U. S.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Germany has sent a supplementary communication to the U. S. on the subject of peace. It reached the Swiss legation this forenoon and was delivered by the Swiss charge shortly before noon.

The new message described what Germany is doing in the way of constitutional changes to make the government responsible to the people.

It was said that it does not alter the peace situation as it stands today by making any new proposals.

It is understood to have been unsolicited and constitutes a voluntary move on the part of Germany. The text may not be made public immediately.

The supplementary message was by way of amplifying previous statements of the German government that it had politically reformed. The note, which it supplements, declared that the president "knows" about these reforms.

It was regarded here, therefore, as a last minute effort to persuade the president that the kaiser's power had been effectively shorn and that armistice dealings would, in reality, be with the German people—not with the kaiser.

everywhere. Heavy German artillery fire on the front of the American second army (east of Verdun) is revealing the enemy's uneasiness regarding the safety of the Brielle iron fields, just as it is their disposition to hold the Meuse line.

The guns which are firing on the Mont Medy-Longuyon railway are shooting 25 miles. They are much bigger caliber than the boche guns which fired on Paris.

The big guns made a big hit with the French who first served them in the St. Quentin and Laon regions.

Description of these guns is prohibited, for military reasons, aside from the fact they are transported by railway. The guns are of such size that the French despaired of the Americans ever getting them to the front.

All the accompanying equipment is entirely American. The monsters were brought over lashed to the decks of the ships. The commander of the big guns is the biggest peace spokesman on the west front. He is a monarch when it comes to consideration of his pets.

THESE AMERICAN BOYS ARE ON THEIR WAY TO THE RHINE



U. S. doughboys going through woods in Alsace.

American forces are now battling their way toward the Rhine a soil which before 1914 was

known as part of Germany. The picture shows a squad of doughboys in combat formation advancing

to the Rhine through a wood in Alsace in the direction of the Rhine.

ALLIES WILL HAVE LONG PERIOD OF POLICE DUTY ON RUSSIAN SOIL

BY CARL D. GROAT.

Washington, October 30.—American or allied troops or both undoubtedly will have a long period of police duty in Russia after the Teutons vacate.

In fact, it was hinted today that the associated contingents may have to be increased rather than decreased when the Boche hauls out the remainder of his legions.

The problem, according to a member of the general staff, offers one of the most perplexing features of the complicated "unscrambling" process which is now held to be only a matter of a comparatively brief time.

While the Germans have been evacuating the Baltic provinces and has stripped down his forces in the Ukraine, he still has a wide belt of influence and a considerable number of German troops in the territory between the Gulf of Riga and the Black Sea.

Military authorities foresee today that if immediate evacuation of the Teuton is compelled, a reign of terror and lawlessness may ensue. Hence there is some division of opinion as to whether this evacuation should be compelled hurriedly or gradually.

In either case it was said that the

allied forces undoubtedly would have to maintain order for a considerable time until the restored region could get a footing politically and economically. If it is decided to increase the allied forces, their occupation will be solely for police purposes and it will be made clear to the world that this duty will be accomplished as speedily as possible and the troops then withdrawn immediately.

Military developments of the past few days are convincing war experts here that German and Austrian morale is only a shell.

The Austrian shows signs of cracking badly under the united offensive in Italy. While the German is hanging on grimly along the west front, he is in constant danger of being shaken loose from the pivotal holding Verdun region and then being forced back beyond Namur.

Military men say he has concentrated his all and can make no real stand short of the Rhine.

The general opinion based on morale reports and knowledge of internal Teuton conditions, may be said to be that while the German may protest at the forthcoming armistice terms, he probably will yield rather than go on with a losing fight.

AMERICANS SHOOT DOWN EIGHTEEN ENEMY AIRPLANES

Washington, Oct. 30.—Eighteen enemy planes were shot down Tuesday by American aviators attached to the first army, General Pershing reported today. Five of the American planes failed to return. Aside from steady artillery fire, west of the Meuse, the day was marked with little activity.

MORE SUGAR FOR 'FLU' PATIENTS

Washington, Oct. 30.—The food administration today notified all state food administrators to increase sugar allotments to Spanish influenza patients and to persons caring for such patients. This action was taken because of hundreds of requests from hospitals in cities where the epidemic has prevailed.

STATE OF SIEGE AT BUDAPEST PROCLAIMED

London, Oct. 30.—A state of siege has been proclaimed in Budapest, following the attempt of a hundred thousand demonstrators to enter the palace of Archduke Joseph. The demonstrators are demanding a Republic.

The German troops are reported to be arriving. Students in the city have formed a council to co-operate with the Magyar national council.

RIOTING REPORTED AT CONSTANTINOPLE

Athens, October 30.—(Havas.)—Rioting has broken out at Constantinople and Smyrna, according to a dispatch from Mytilene, Island of Lesbos, to the Patria. At both cities, the dispatch adds, Germans were attacked.

EVACUATE OIL CENTER
Zurich, Oct. 30.—The Turks have evacuated the great oil center of Baku, on the Caspian Sea, without fighting, according to a despatch received from Moscow today.

SALE DATES RESERVED
Oct. 31—Frank Barnett.
Nov. 1—D. S. Di-con.
Nov. 1—E. O. Barnett.
Nov. 8—L. E. Rudduck.
Nov. 6—L. R. Jones.
Nov. 7—Whittington & Trader.
Nov. 9—F. E. Finney.
Nov. 11—J. P. Fudge.
Nov. 20th—J. G. Conklin.
Feb. 20—L. E. Stingley.

FAMOUS FRENCH BAND PLAYS AMERICAN AIR AS WORKERS LAUNCH ANOTHER SHIP



French army band playing at launching of ship at Kearny, N. J.

Another ship, the "Tolo," was added to America's vast fleet recently at Kearny, N. J. The famous French army band now in the U. S. made a trip to the yard to play for the workers and attend the launching. The allied play was the "Star Spangled Banner" as the ship took the ways. Then they played the Marseillaise. The workers gave the band a tremendous reception.

COAL MINES CLOSED FOR LAW VIOLATION

Washington, Oct. 30.—Thirteen Pennsylvania coal mines have been closed down by the fuel administration for their failure to comply with the "clean coal" program, it was announced today. This makes a total of 99 mines prohibited from either shipping or mining coal.

The closing down orders were based on reports of inspectors, showing that coal from these mines was of such poor quality as to be useless.

HEAVY FINE IMPOSED UNDER FOOD LAWS

Washington, Oct. 30.—The Amalgamated Sugar Company, Salt Lake City, has paid ten thousand pounds of sugar to the food administration for violation of the food law in delivering the same quantity of sugar to the Goddard Canning Company, Ogden, Utah, without first obtaining the required certificate.

NOTHING TO REPORT

London, Oct. 30.—"Apart from patrol encounters in which we made progress and secured a few prisoners, there is nothing to report," Field Marshal Haig said today.

AUSTRIAN TROOPS RETREAT IN NIGHT

Vienna, via London, Oct. 30.—Austrian troops on the Piave front were withdrawn to new positions in the rear areas, last night, the Austrian war office announced.

"On the Piave, although the entente forces did not succeed in breaking through, toward evening we decided to withdraw in the most strongly attacked sectors to the rear of our lines," the statement said.

"The movement was carried out during the night."

"In Albania, our rear guards, have evacuated Alessio."

RIOTS IN BUDAPEST BECOMING CHRONIC

London, Oct. 30.—The ferment in Budapest is becoming chronic, it is indicated in reports from Zurich and Copenhagen. Street fighting in which machine guns are employed, is common and many have been killed and injured. Great demonstrations were organized hourly yesterday. There were frequent combats between loyal soldiers and students.

The republican movement is still brewing and a general labor revolt is feared.

The Chronicle and Daily News suggest the trouble perhaps is the beginning of a revolution against the Hapsburgs.

ALLIES CROSS THE PIAVE ON A FRONT OF THIRTY MILES

With Austria-Hungary torn by internal dissension and frantically seeking peace, the allies are battering her armies to bits on the Italian front and rapidly approving Hungarian territory at several points in the Balkans.

The Italian front offensive is rapidly assuming the proportions of an utter rout. The British and Italians are across the Piave on a thirty mile front from west of Valdobbiadene to the Trevi Loderzox railway. They have advanced about eight miles beyond the river on this front, capturing more than 100 villages, including the important railway center of Conegliano. More than 1,000 prisoners have officially been counted.

American troops, comprising Ohio units across the Piave to participate in the advance.

The allies are within seven miles of Vittorio the principal Austrian supply base for the whole Venetian plains region.

In the Grappa district, the Italians are advancing slowly in the face of southern resistance. The battle front is blazing westward clear to Asiago region, making a total active front more than fifty miles.

The battle front now extends as follows:

South of Asiago; northeastward to Montebelluna; Eastward to Fozza; northeastward to Montebelluna; eastward to Alona; eastward through Valdobbiadene, San Pietre, Farra and Bertolotto, southeastward through Conegliano, Cima and Fontanillo; southward to Ponte Di Piave.

The allies are sweeping through Serbia like prairie fire. At three points—northwest of Novi Sad and northwest and southwest of Ushitz—they are within 20 miles of Hungarian soil. The Serbs, in the great Moravia Valley are within miles of Belgrade, their former capital.

Jugo-Slavs operating in Montenegro, have passed Ipek and Diakova, and further to the west are nearing the Frontier of Herzegovina.

No important gains have been made on the west front within the last two days. The Americans are still fighting desperately to conquer important heights on both sides of the Meuse which will give them command of the valley tending northward to Montmery.

The French advanced slightly on a seven mile front west of Bethel, and improved their line along the Aisne.

Field Marshal Haig reported that in Flanders the allies took 18,493 prisoners from Oct. 14 to making a total of 30,000 since Sept. 28. They took 509 guns between the 14th and 27th.

BY HENRY WOOD.
"With the Italian armies in the field, October 30.—The allied advance continues on the fifty mile front from the Brenta to the Treviso-Oderzo railway. Progress is greatly accentuated on the right flank north of Treviso. American troops, comprising Ohio units, have crossed the Piave and are ready to take up the advance with their Italian and British comrades. More than a hundred villages and a pied Conegliano, an important railway and communication center fighting enemy communities east of the Piave been liberated. The Italians, fifteen miles north of Treviso, yesterday. At 9 a. m. Bicycle Corps entered the city. Airplanes signalled arrival and the Rome brigade completed the occupation. The tenth army is advancing, idly employing many abandoned Austrian batteries to shell the enemy way and communication center fighting enemy."

LOCAL ITEMS

Let us tell you about our free sale bill proposition. Call at this office.

If the influenza continues to tie up mines as it has the last two weeks, the likelihood is some drastic action to secure the coal needed for the navy and the munitions factories. Americans can forestall that by careful conservation now.

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For Sale—Ladies suit, size 36; also light weight coat. Call Bell phone 318-R.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wright will return to their home in Tampa, Fla., after spending a few weeks in Xenia, as the guest of relatives.

J. Emmett Tierny, telegraph operator at the Pennsylvania depot, has enlisted in the Tank Service as telegrapher. He enlisted in Dayton on Tuesday and passed the examination and expects to be called in a week or so. Mr. Tierny for the past two years has been employed in this city as telegrapher at the depot, his home being in South Charleston, O. During his stay in Xenia he has made many friends.

I am back in the plumbing business in my shop on West Third street. adv. 10-4 Philip Jordan

The body of Miss Mayme Downes, who died of pneumonia at Everett, Wash., reached Xenia Wednesday morning, and was taken in charge by Undertaker R. M. Need and removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Downes on East Third street. Mr. and Mrs. William Casey of Everett, accompanied Miss Downes' body to Xenia. The funeral will be held Friday at 9 o'clock at the home. Friends may call Thursday.

Rev. Emerson Tobias is convalescing from an attack of influenza at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jennie Tobias, where he, his wife and son have been visiting.

The funeral of Mrs. Frank Peterson was held in Spring Valley Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. Peterson's brother, Isaac O. Peterson. Owing to the influenza epidemic the services were brief and were attended by only relatives and close friends of the deceased young woman. Rev. H. O. Collins, pastor of the Methodist church, was in charge of the service and he gave a most impressive funeral discourse. One song was sung during the services by Miss Rosa Johnson. Burial was at the Mt. Zion cemetery.

Mr. E. F. Ohaver, who has been connected with the Columbus firm of McAllister Mohler Company as a decorator in the furnishing department has taken a position with the Chas. S. Johnson wall paper and paint store in this city. He will fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mr. Emerson Curtis.

For Rent—Two rooms on corner of Main and Galloway. Call Mrs. Cosley, 138 W. Second St. 10-29 adv

GET IT AT DONGES. adv

Mrs. Floyd Allen returned to her home in this city, Tuesday, after spending two weeks in Chillicothe, taking care of her husband, who has been ill with the influenza. Mr. Allen is much better and able to be out now.

Mrs. Mary E. Gray, of Centerville, has received word of the safe arrival overseas of her son, Francis M. Strain, who enlisted in the U. S. Marines at Dayton in May 1917. He has qualified as an expert rifleman, and is an instructor at the rifle range. He is a resident of Greene county nearly all his life.



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WEATHER REPORT

OHIO—Partly cloudy and cooler tonight; Thursday fair, cooler south-east portion.

Xenia friends have received cards from Mr. and Mrs. Harbne Hagenbuch, of Middletown, Ind., announcing the birth of a son, William Harbne Hagenbuch.

Word has been received here of the critical illness of Mrs. J. Graham Setty (Sara Sanders) at her home in Ingram Crafton, Penn. Mrs. Setty has been ill for nearly a year, and recently her condition became critical.

Judge Clevenger of Wilmington, topped in Xenia, Wednesday morning, while on his way home from Napoleon, Henry county, where he was holding court.

Clerk of Courts George W. Sheets, who has pneumonia, is much improved.

Mrs. Margaret Van Eaton Martin, who was married in Columbia, S. C., Sunday afternoon to Lieutenant C. G. Martin of Camp Jackson, was taken ill of influenza and removed to the hospital in Columbia, Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Eaton, parents of Mrs. Martin, were notified by her husband of their daughter's illness. Her condition is not considered dangerous.

Miss Katharine Landaker, bookkeeper for the Gazette and Republican, is convalescing from typhoid fever, which kept her confined to her home for eight weeks, and is able to walk out a little every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Linscott and family have removed to Jackson, Miss where Mr. Linscott will take charge of a bindery.

Mr. William Downey from Peoria, Ill., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Celia Shawhan.

Mrs. Estella Holt, of East Main street, is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Willett and the latter's sister, Mrs. Conklin, of Galesburg, Ill., at dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Nagley and two sons, William and Forest, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bull, of Cedarville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Tobias, and family, of Beaver Valley.

There will be no meeting of Pride of Xenia council No. 140 D. of A. Thursday evening, Oct. 31. Those wishing to pay dues may do so by paying to Mrs. Emma Randall, 537 W. Second street.

Moses Hutson, of Edwards avenue, who had a severe attack of heart trouble several days ago as the result of strain caused by lifting a heavy article, was very much improved Wednesday morning.

Dr. Leo Anderson, veterinary at Cedarville, is ill of double pneumonia, and Mrs. Anderson and their two little children are all ill of influenza. The three year old daughter is very ill.

Miss Reva Walker has taken a position as attendant in Dr. Kuhn's dental offices.

COURT NEWS

Alleging extreme cruelty and habitual drunkenness, Sarah E. Weimer has sued for divorce from Charles C. Weimer. They were married July 12, 1891. The Weimers live in Cedarville.

Suit to partition real estate has been brought by A. Jane McDonald against Croydon Heath and others. W. F. Trader, attorney.

Replevin suit was brought in common pleas court Wednesday by Joseph Hertzlam of Dayton against Jacob Baldwin to recover an automobile which the plaintiff avers the defendant is withholding from him. The machine was repaired by Mr. Baldwin, and the plaintiff is said to have refused to pay the bill on the grounds that it was exorbitant.

Names of 112 men for the special juries in the seven Conservancy District condemnation suits to be tried during November, were drawn from the jury wheel Wednesday morning. The regular jury cannot be used in more than one of the cases, because of their similarity.

ROUMANIA IS TO RE-ENTER THE WAR

London, October 30.—Accumulating indications point to an early re-entry of Roumania into the war. Private advices from Bucharest state that former Premier Bratianu, who was virtually forced out of office by the Germans, is about to return to power. The keynote of his platform will be renewal of Roumania's war on the Central Powers.

Job for Scientists.
The scientists have demonstrated that it is really possible to eliminate the bray from the mule, and, though it would distress the little boy next door, how we wish they would turn their attention to a rattleless express cart.—Grand Rapids Press.

THE LOVELY GIRL

By MILDRED WHITE.

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Billy saw the Lovely Girl when he was escorting his visiting cousins through the art gallery; she was evidently a student, and glanced up from her copy of a great painting at the group which paused beside it. Then, as she bent again to her work, she looked back once more, as though drawn by some compelling force, straight into Billy's eyes. Swift as the glance had been, it awakened in that young man's honest heart some heretofore undisturbed emotion.

"Lovely girl, that," his old uncle had remarked, so Billy knew that his own was not a prejudiced opinion. He intended going directly to the office upon the following morning, instead his footsteps lagged before the art gallery, and again he passed within.

The Lovely Girl was before her eyes, ambition also was one of her virtues. Outwardly calm, but with a pounding heart, Billy drew near the painting which was her subject, and was lost apparently in admiration.

Up the marble steps of the building dashed a second student, a man. Billy recognized the fellow. Brothers went there to copy also, he remembered now, having listened absently to Brothers' enthusiastic account of his own progress in art. But this morning, inspiration came to Billy, and he hastened after his almost-forgotten friend.

There were hours when his time was practically his own, affairs proceeded at the office without his constant supervision. Why not impersonate for awhile one of that class to which his friend Brothers belonged. It would be a simple matter to locate an easel near that same great painting, license in the way of communication might be given a fellow by the Lovely Girl, with both striving to accomplish the same purpose.

A discussion of "sky lines" might be allowable. Billy didn't know much about sky lines, but Brothers could give him the cue. He surprised that young man by a hearty clap on the shoulder.

"Hello, Bill!" greeted the other breathlessly. Billy came abruptly to the point. "Brothers," he said, "I want to borrow all your tools for a few days, to make a stand before that Rembrandt painting; sometime I'll tell you my reason."

Brothers blinked. "Can't have my tools," he replied, "going to use 'em. But I guess we can fix you up."

Billy's morning hours seemed to be passed more in study than achievement. Painstakingly he mixed colors according to Brother's direction, regarding the girl from the corners of his eyes. Then quite boldly he moved over and stood before her copy.

"Pardon me," began Billy, "our mutual subject is so great that I would like to see how you handle it."

For a brief moment the girl hesitated, then as with one desire to help, she pointed out effects in light and color. Billy, though gravely attentive, was learning more about the color of very blue eyes, and the altogether satisfying light of a smile.

"Thank you," he answered, and returned to further concentration.

The longed-for, however, had been accomplished, the barrier of silence broken. The Lovely Girl called to him occasionally some word of advice.

"Just start any place," she urged. Billy examined Brothers' paintbrush ruefully as he packed it away. Eloquent his eyes sought the girl's. "It has been a great day," he said, "even if I have failed in work. You will be here tomorrow?"

The Lovely Girl slipped into her coat, and smiled back at him. "I hope to," she replied, "unless my husband forbids it. He may have a notion that I am working too hard."

Billy gasped, then stood blankly staring after the trim figure that tripped down the stairs.

Married! He had never once thought of that possibility. He returned Brothers' loaned tools next day, and went no more to the gallery.

"It was strange, he ruminated gloomily going on his way, that the thing should have hit so hard. Just a few hours spent at a girl's side and the world had changed for him. He wondered what sort of a fellow that lucky husband was, and at this point in his meditation Brothers called to him.

"Hello old top," he cried, "how is the picture?"

Billy realized bewilderingly that the Lovely Girl was standing close to Brothers, and was smiling.

"My sister," the artist introduced. "You have her to thank for hunting out the easel and tools you desired, after I'd pointed you out to her in the gallery."

"Your sister's name?" Billy asked stiffly.

"Same as mine of course," Brothers replied.

Billy turned to the Lovely Girl. "I understood that you were married," he said.

"Oh! no!" that young person shamelessly replied, "though I have been known to pretend a husband in order to ward off flirtatious students at the gallery."

"Let's go to lunch," Brothers suggested, "you can explain there your wish to pose as an artist."

Billy looked down into the dancing blue eyes of the girl.

"I shall tell your sister about that later," he said.

ERNEST FRIES AND MISS LORA WALKER UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Lora Marie Walker, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Walker, of North Detroit street, was married to Ernest E. Fries, of the clerical department at Wilbur Wright Aviation Field, Tuesday night, the ceremony being celebrated at the parsonage of the First Reformed church, the Rev. M. E. Beck officiating.

The young pair was unattended. The bride wore a blue dress, with taupe colored coat, hat and shoes.

Mr. Fries and his bride had expected to be married later, and their plans for having the ceremony performed Tuesday evening, were not made until Tuesday afternoon. The decision was reached owing to the fact that Mr. Fries is leaving to enter officers training school at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. He returned Wednesday morning to Wright Field, and left that post Wednesday, to report at Camp Grant Thursday.

Mr. Fries enlisted in the clerical section of the aviation corps eight months ago, and has been stationed at Wright Field ever since. He was employed by The Hoover and Allison Company in this city at the time of his enlistment. Xenia friends of the popular young man have reason for doubly congratulating him, upon his marriage, and his acceptance for officer's training camp. Mrs. Fries is a favorite girl in a large group of friends. She expects to retain her position at the Hutchinson & Gibney store while her husband is in the service.

PASSES AWAY WHILE DAUGHTER LAY DEAD IN THE SAME HOUSE

While her daughter lay dead in the same house, Mrs. Kate Shaner, former Xenia woman, passed away Wednesday morning in Dayton. Pneumonia caused the deaths of both.

The daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Elizabeth Baumaster, died Tuesday, and her two young sons are lying at the point of death from the same malady. Mr. Baumaster is the only one in the family who has not been stricken.

Mrs. Shaner leaves two children, William Shaner and Mrs. Herbert Brennan, both of Dayton. She was a sister of Mrs. Michael Downes, of E. Third street, whose daughter, Miss Mayme Downes, died in Everett, Wash., of the malady which caused the deaths of Mrs. Shaner and Mrs. Baumaster.

GERMANS STILL PRACTICE OLD RUTHLESS TACTICS

London, October 30.—That the Germans have not abandoned tactics they employed when they overran Belgium and France in the early days of the war, and when they violated every clause of the Hague convention, is evidenced by the latest British official report received here today by the British Bureau of Information.

Advancing troops of the British fifth army under Gen. Birdwood, the famous Anzac leader, according to the report, recently captured Red Cross wagons to haul the troops with ammunition.

The capture, it was pointed out, was made at the time of the German high command protesting sincerity in its play for an armistice.

Thrill.

A man takes a short cut to poverty when he comes to believe that he has no talent for saving or making money. A man can by patience, application and time acquire the ability to do almost anything for which by nature he has little taste or genius. At least, this is the principle upon which psychologists work, and to which innumerable men bear testimony. Human brain capacity can be modified so that a man can acquire the capacity to do that which previously was impossible. By faith in oneself talents may be multiplied. With faith one can eliminate the suffering and the sense of dependence, and the companionship of poverty. For thrift is not a gift of nature, much as a talent, that may be developed.

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NEW QUARTERS MAY BE SECURED FOR ELECTION BOARD

The Board of Elections may occupy as its new quarters the second story front of the new Kingsbury building on Detroit street, now being remodeled. The Elections board is now virtually homeless, having been crowded out of the prosecuting attorney's old offices in the court house, by the Local Board. It is compulsory for the county to furnish the Board of Elections with office room, and the board has selected the rooms on the second floor of the Kingsbury building as being suitable.

The Board of Elections has just equipped itself with new cases for supplies for election officials in the various precincts of the county. The new cases were badly needed, the old ones being too small to hold the supplies necessary.

GERMAN REPLY IS NOT ADEQUATE

Rome, October 30.—Germany's latest reply to President Wilson is not responsive to his conditions, it was officially declared here today.

"We must insist on adequate guarantees of an armistice that will render renewal of the war impossible," said Italian high officials.

ADOPTS WAR ORPHANS

Ohio Regiment Now Holds Record In This Work.

The One Hundred and Sixty-sixth regiment of infantry, mostly Ohioans, are leading in the contest of adopting French orphans. Already this regiment has adopted 24 boy orphans. More than 500 French children, made fatherless by the war, have been adopted by the various American army units in France, and it is expected that this number will soon be increased to 1,000.

One little orphan, whose father, a French lieutenant, was killed in the Argonne in 1915, always signs her letters to her godfathers: "Votre mas-cotte affectionnee." Her letters never fail to express the wish that the Americans who have consented to aid her are not injured.

The Stars and Stripes, the official A. E. F. newspaper, launched the idea some weeks ago and since then every unit in the army has responded. The men who ask to become godfathers to the orphans send funds to the American Red Cross, which attends to the needs of the children.

In This Age of Hustle.

A friend of Goethe's once said to him upon his return from a sojourn in Rome, "You must know Rome very well." "Oh, no," replied Goethe, "I was there only seven years." More of our modern plays, it would seem, are written in a period that might be covered by seven days rather than anything like a period of seven years of study or training.

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Pepsinco acts quickly and is safe and sure. It digests perfectly all that is eaten. The stomach is a peculiar organ. It will not allow an overdoing. It cries out when it is worked too hard. It sends a wireless for help and it behooves every one to watch for the sign.

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"Having suffered from nervous indigestion for several years, I find after using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin that I am as well as I ever was and can now eat anything without fear of consequences." (From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by Mrs. John K. Moore, 516 No. 27th St., Richmond, Va.)

Indigestion and constipation are conditions closely related and the cause of much suffering. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a mild, pleasantly effective laxative; it quickly relieves the intestinal congestion that retards digestion and has been the standard household remedy in countless homes for many years.

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GRANDMA is the product of soap scientists. They tried to get something to take the place of wasteful bar soap—something that would make it unnecessary to slice or chip a bar of soap every wash day. So they produced GRANDMA, the most wonderful soap you ever saw. Not in bar form but Powdered. You measure it out with a spoon—no waste. Glorious suds in a jiffy in any kind of water—no rubbing. Works wonders. Try it.

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SHINOLA IS THE SAME PRICE AS ALWAYS TEN CENTS

LARGE quantities of SHINOLA are purchased by the Government to be sold to the Soldiers and Sailors.

We aim to make SHINOLA cost the men serving their country and the public back of the men, as little as possible.

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BIG CONTEST STARTS TODAY IN THIS PAPER

On pages eight and nine of this issue will be found the great Educational Missing Word Contest, which we have been telling you about in the last few issues. We know our large army of readers will welcome it.

These ads will run one day every week for the next 12 weeks each Wednesday. From one of the advertisements the contest, editor has intentionally omitted one whole word. The word begins with R and ends with D.

The whole word omitted makes the sentence grammatically wrong. For instance if we had a sentence like this in one of the advertisements: "If you want the finest teas and coffee go Sam Jones for them," the reader will readily see that the word "to" has been omitted. We would then tell you the word omitted this week begins with a T and ends with an O. This is the clue simply how to find the word. You will then start at the top of the first ad in this contest and read every advertisement to find out where this missing word belongs. After you have found the word you will find a blank

on these pages and you proceed to fill this out carefully. We want to say to you as a word of advice not to fill this blank out until every member of the family has gone carefully over all the ads comprising the contest and if each member of the family arrives at the same word then you may depend on it, you have the right one. So don't fill out the blank until this has been done.

You see you have but one chance a week, as the return blank is dated. You are given, according to the rules, full six days in which to find the word and get in your answer.

The word this week has been made very easy so as to get you all started right. Read the rules governing the contest carefully, so that there will be no chance of your going wrong. This is important. The word removed will not be a superfluous word, but one absolutely needed to make a correct sentence when properly placed, and will make the sentence absolutely wrong when omitted. Now remember there is but one word left out of one advertisement each week that spoils the meaning of the sentence.

Another word will be omitted next week, and by the way, it may be omitted from the same advertisement more than once, so you had better be on your guard and read every word in every advertisement each time, or you may miss it.

Always be sure to look at the rules each week. They will always tell you what letter the words missing begin and end with.

The Gazette will give to the persons who find all, or the most of, the words at the end of 12 weeks, \$50.00 in gold, as follows: To the person finding all or the most of the 12 words \$25.00 in gold will be awarded, to the person finding the most words and to the third highest \$15.00 in gold; to the third \$5.00 in gold and five one-dollar awards to the next five highest. Nextness will decide in case of a tie.

At the end of each week the missing word will be announced, so that you will know whether your answers were correct, as you go along. The word also will be put back in the advertisement the following week so as to let you see from where it had been removed.

There are no qualifications necessary to enter the contest. Just read the advertisements and send in your answers. It is open to everyone except the employees of this paper and their immediate families.

Now if you should happen to miss three or four words do not get discouraged, as it is not thought any one will be alert enough to find all the words. The highest number of correct answers found by anyone at the close may not exceed eight or nine, so you see what an excellent opportunity you will have of being one of the winners.

We know this contest will interest father and mother, brothers and sisters, grandma and grandpa.

Those who read the ads will not only be in for winning a fine purse of gold, but they will run across some bargains offered by merchants. Then they will also become acquainted with the business of merchants who keep certain lines of goods. Each merchant will back up every statement made in his or her advertisement.

A final word to our readers. Jump in and stick to it. Be a winner. The world likes winners.

Return blanks may be mailed or brought to this office. A complete record of each blank will be kept daily by the "Missing Word Editor" who will be in charge and all blanks will be kept until the end of the contest. No matter where you live send in an answer each week and be sure to get it in the prescribed time.

All persons entering the contest should send in their answers as early as possible. Now away you go, and let us see what kind of a "hunter" you are.

HEALTH OF BOYS AT THE FRONT IS SPLENDID

London, Oct. 4.—(By mail)—The health of American doughboys in English cantonnements is even better than in the cantonnements at home, Brit. Gen. F. A. Winter, head of the U. S. Army health staff in England, told the United Press today.

"American mothers and fathers need have no anxiety over the health of their boys here," he said.

The average death rate here is only six out of every thousand soldiers. (The civilian death rate in the United States is 16 to 17 in a thousand.)

"The national army men we are getting now are a mighty healthy lot," Winter said. "They are a fine specimen of men, well built, well controlled and clean. They have learned to take care of themselves."

TWENTY THOUSAND AUSTRIANS ARE TAKEN PRISONER

London, Oct. 30.—(12:07 p. m.)—The latest estimate of Austrian prisoners in the Anglo-Italian offensive is 20,000 with total casualties of forty thousand.

Their Hallucinations.
The city man who longs for country life thinks more about a restful hammock in a shady nook somewhere near a babbling brook than of the back-breaking plowing, hoeing, reaping and mowing, and loss of sleeping the hours and piling the kind that in the latter vending their way homeward in the gloaming and lowering an accompaniment to the hired man's musical hi-lo-lee. And the country man who yearns for city life thinks that about all them town fellows ever do is to set around in cabaret shows and bit wine with yellow haired adventuresses. —Kansas City Star.

The Ohio War Board Says Today

Don't drop Uncle Sam's insurance. Some soldiers and sailors are dropping their war risk insurance because the relatives they named as beneficiaries have failed to receive insurance certificates from Washington.

Such action is entirely unwarranted and detrimental to the best interests of the fighting men and their loved ones.

Because of delay in receiving insurance certificates, many soldiers believe they are paying for insurance protection which they are not receiving. This is incorrect. Government insurance is effective regardless of the receipt of the insurance certificate, provided proper application has been made and premiums are being paid.

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance of the Treasury Department is mailing insurance certificates as rapidly as possible.

It is unnecessary to write to Washington asking for your certificate. It will come in due course of time.

Sugar Beet Experiments.
By experiment with sugar beets it has been proved that plants growing close to the ground thrive better when planted in rows running from east to west rather than from north to south.

ITCHING IRRITATION EASILY CURED

When you suffer with any skin trouble, even though the itching seems unbearable, do not think that it is necessary to use some disgusting, greasy ointment. Try Hokara, a pure and simple cream, that is guaranteed to contain no grease or acids and which is so clearly that it does not soil the linen.

Its power to instantly relieve any irritation of the skin and make it soft, white and beautiful is almost miraculous.

Not only do minor skin troubles like pimples, blackheads, acne, barber's itch, etc., quickly disappear, but the worst ulcers or cases of salt rheum or eczema are cleansed and healed by this wonderful skin food.

In order that any one may try Hokara at small expense Sayre & Hemphill's Drug Store are selling a liberal-sized jar at 35c, and in addition guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not do all that is claimed for it.

Truth About Mathematics.
The value of mathematics in developing the mind has been strongly attacked and vigorously defended. The opponents of mathematics say that the science is a dry husk of a thing, chilling the warmth and imagination of the student. The truth seems to be that mathematics is a dry husk of a thing only to those who make it so, and is as much a subject for inspiration and enthusiasm as poetry itself.

HUN FEARS COLD STEEL

Not a Man in Yank Regiment Is Boche Bayonet Victim.

"I've nosed around as much as I could and not a single man of this regiment has been killed or wounded by a German bayonet, so far as I can find out."

That is the testimony of a private in the old Sixty-ninth New York, the fighting regiment that has been in almost every scrap in France. This man used to be a reporter in New York. He has taken some pains to back up his statement.

"And I guess my company alone has killed a hundred or more Germans with the cold steel," he concluded. Even the famous Prussian Guards refused to stand to the steel of the fighting Sixty-ninth.

Gazette and Republican want ads, work while you sleep.

Look closer at the clothes than you do at the price. See what we furnish

at \$40 and \$45 up

C. A. Weaver

Korean Women.

In Korea women occupy a place in society which has no parallel elsewhere in the Orient. They are both better and worse off than in China or India or Japan—better off because there are more fields open to them, worse because they are overworked, often ill-treated, and until recently were actually enslaved.

Surely Educational.

Slavin (outside movie theater)—"Wor there any educational fillums shown, Martin?" Conlin—"Faith an' there wor, Terrence. I learned among other things, how to act toward-rs me butler, how to enter me club properly, an' how to hang me coat and cane on th' arm iv th' gentlemanly attendant."—Buffalo Express.

JUST ARRIVED!

A car of nice clean

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Your last chance to buy your winter supply at this low price. Call either phone at once.

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ALL TOGETHER NOW, FOR A REPUBLICAN CONGRESS, NEXT TUESDAY.

We will leave Generals Haig, Foch and Pershing and the boys over there, to attend to matters on their side, while the Republicans over here feel that they have an equally important task of turning a Democratic congress into a Republican one, in the few days between now and Tuesday next. We mean "equally important task" as regards anything we can do over here to win the win. Nothing tends more to cheer up the dear soldier boys than to have them know that their parents and friends at home are backing them and doing everything in their power to help in the great cause for which they are battling.

Deep down, what is that cause? Freedom for every man to do as he pleases, so long as he pleases to do right. In short to give to the world such a degree of freedom as we have in our own blessed country. And in the end, to blazon to the world that the day has passed when any man may feel himself "born to rule." The enlightenment of the age is such that the world slogan is rapidly assuming that they are back numbers, and will have to go.

Two of the past Republican Presidents of this Land of Freedom, Colonel Roosevelt and Mr. Taft, have paid their respects to its present Democratic president, giving him hot stuff in the matter of his coming out in an appeal "to his countrymen" to vote the Democratic ticket. In view of the fact that the Republicans in Congress have whole heartedly supported all war measures, they deem Mr. Wilson's assault on them as a very unjust and shameful piece of business. It would have been bad enough if some one else had done this, but for the Commander-in-Chief of our Army to publicly falsely accuse the Republican congressmen with disloyalty, with the view of degrading them in the eyes of the world, is such an outrageous breach of common decency between gentlemen, that it is no wonder that the whole country resents the wicked slander.

Why does President Wilson want a Democratic congress? Because he wants to mould the members absolutely to his own will without consulting them. He has visited his displeasure on every Democratic member of either house who has differed with him, and has called upon that member's constituency to reject him. This is high-handed autocratic power, against the like of which the world is fighting today.

Great problems are to be solved in the matter of reconstruction after the war. Do the American people, by their action next Tuesday, wish to trust this to the uncontrolled will of Woodrow Wilson? This is the issue which he puts to them in his appeal: "Unless you give me uncontrolled power, you repudiate me and my leadership before the world."

We submit that with the whole machinery of a party administration on one side, it will be a good balance power to have a majority in Congress on the other side.

Instead of obstructing the President and our Allies in winning the war and a dictated peace, nothing would so discourage the Germans and hearten our Allies as the return of a Republican congress. Let us give it to them by all means.

Fly Pests.

Among the tall timbers of the antipodes nearly every horse is decorated with a red rag hung and his chin whiskers to stall off botflies, but it is about as effective as a bishop's scapular would be. There are other botflies in Australia not nearly so well known. The kangaroo has one, and in this case the grub lodges in the throat. This particular bot was first discovered by Broughton of Moriam station, on Watcott (N. S. W.) way, a couple of years ago, the full sized maggots being found in the windpipe, and apparently causing no inconvenience to the host. Local entomologists are now investigating the habits of this insect. Another bot found on the camel pads confines himself exclusively to the evil-smelling humphreus. He is an importation from Arabia and does no noticeable damage.

FOCH'S ARMISTICE.

Nobody need worry about that German armistice. When it comes, as it will in its own good time, there is not going to be any nonsense about it. There will be no well-meaning but short-sighted philanthropists musing it up. There will be no half way statesmanship letting go of the enemy before the enemy himself has let go. There will be no diplomatic trickery perpetrated by Central European masters of the art.

Why are we so sure of all this? For the simple reason that, as President Wilson has informed Germany, "the process of evacuation and the condition of armistice are matters which must be left to the judgment and advice of the military advisers of the government of the United States and the Allied governments."

These governments are not even considering an armistice as yet. When they get ready to consider it, they will leave all the essential conditions and practical arrangements to Foch, Haig and Pershing.

The man having most to do with it will be Marshal Foch. At present he is too busy whipping Germans and taking their guns and ammunition to pay any attention to such matters. When he gets around to it he will take good care that the armistice will be of such a nature that it will leave Germany absolutely powerless for further harm. We can trust him for that.

ENQUIRER SAYS WILSON'S APPEAL WAS ILL-ADVISED

The Cincinnati Enquirer, the most rabid Democratic newspaper in Ohio, and which has fought every Republican candidate, state and national, says in an editorial in last Sunday's issue:

"We are strongly, enthusiastically, consistently for the loyal support of the present administration.

"We believe that an honest difference of opinion, represented either by individuals or great political parties, is, has been and always will continue to be, the saving grace of this nation.

"We are firmly convinced that when any grave question arises which involves patriotism, selfish partisan feeling will always be swept aside by the American people, as it has been during the war, and a solid front presented to any and every enemy.

"President Wilson's plea for support of the candidates of his party as a pledge of support to himself is ill-timed and ill-advised, if, indeed, advice was asked or received. All America is supporting the administration regardless of politics. We believe that such support will still be accorded the president regardless of the outcome of the election. Whether they are Democrats or Republicans, we believe in placing Americans and Americans only on guard. That is the test that should be applied to every man's candidacy."

Letters From Our Readers

This column is for the use of our readers. In it they will be permitted the free discussion of subjects of general interest regardless of whether they agree with the views of the paper or not. No communications of a personal or libelous nature will be received. Neither will any anonymous communication be accepted.

Editor Gazette and Republican:

Now that we are not permitted to assemble in our churches, as is our custom, let us not grow impatient. We are not only members of a church, but also citizens of a great commonwealth, the life of which is to be guarded. We deplore this break in our religious work, which has upset many of our plans, but while that is true, it is the duty of churches to assist in fighting this almost fatal scourge. It is by our not meeting for a while we assist in this way. We do well to fall in line. Of course, we think a little strangely that saloons, the very hatches of disease, were left open, the operation of which does not add to the uplift of the people at all, but we should still cooperate with the officials of the public health in stamping out this scourge.

I admonish you, as christians, to be patient. We can be constant in our attendance at the family altar, while we wait for the ban to be lifted. While we cannot in our public devotions show that we are following the Christ, we can by our private meditations approach a throne of grace, as did the Prophet Daniel in other days. If by our not meeting, we have assisted in some small degree in preserving the life of anyone, and at the same time have put ourselves in harmony with law and order, we have done well.

P. S. HILL,
Pastor of First A. M. E. Church.

Frog's Remarkable Peculiarities.

In the manner of disposing of their eggs many species of frogs exhibit remarkable peculiarities. One of the most curious, a tree frog, native of Paraguay, makes its nest in a bush overhanging a pond. The lower ends of a number of leaves are drawn together and fixed in that position by a number of empty egg-capsules. The eggs are also covered with a shield of empty capsules, to protect them from the sun and air. When the eggs are hatched the plug at the bottom appears to fall out and the tadpole tumbles into the water.

GERMANS HAVE STRANGE WAY OF PREPARING FOR PEACE

By Frank H. Simonds,
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We should be a very naive people, indeed, quite as stupid as von Papen declared, if we did not understand exactly what the German campaign of fire and explosion in Northern France means. The German is getting ready to make peace, and this is his idea of the fashion in which to prepare for the end of hostilities.

In German logic the situation is this: At no distant time hostilities will be over and then the business of manufacture and trade will begin again. When this business begins the German will once more have to compete with the rest of the world. Among his competitors are the manufacturers of Northern France and of Belgium. This being the case, it is his duty, while the power remains in his hands, to abolish all chance of future competition.

Against such an eventuality he began his preparations long ago. In the winter of 1914-15 he removed all the machinery from the great manufacturing centers of Lille, Roubaix and Tourcoing and transported it back to Germany. He has continued this systematic spoliation of the industrial establishments of France and Belgium ever since. Now he is going one step further and destroying the buildings in which the machinery was originally installed and the cities in which the industries were conducted.

The region through which the German is now retreating is one of the great industrial districts of Europe. Lille, Tourcoing and Roubaix, practically constituting a single city of over 40,000 inhabitants, are the great industrial towns of France. Cambrai, Douai and a score of smaller places now in the war news are similarly busy centers of French manufacture. Lens, whose complete ruin has been reported, is the chief coal mining town of France. Scattered about it are the smaller villages which, with Lens, supply almost all of the coal essential to French industry. Between these various cities and towns run many canals, useful in the transportation of material.

Now the factories, the mines, the canals, are all being systematically destroyed, together with the cities in the district. Every thing of the smallest value which could be moved has been moved back to Germany; what could not be moved is being ruined or destroyed by fire and dynamite.

It is the German's calculation that when he has completed this work of systematic and deliberate destruction industrial France and industrial Belgium will be wiped off the map and that it will be a matter of years before either can be re-constructed. In these years German manufactures will profit by the absence of French and Belgian competition, and in this way the burden of the war will be transferred from German to French and Belgian backs.

It is essential that this whole programme, and it is a programme, should be fully appreciated by the American people. When he has completed his task of devastation the German expects to make peace. He expects to be able to explain that such ruin as has come to France and Belgium is the natural, if regrettable, consequence of war. He will weep over this ruin, as the Kaiser wept for Louvain, for Rheims and for much else, but he means to keep up his campaign of arson to the very last moment.

More than all this, the very best incentive to the German industry in destruction at the present hour is the ever insistent declaration in many quarters that there must be no reprisal at the end of the war; no punishment which will hurt German feelings and therefore lessen the chance for an enduring league of nations to function. From the very outset of the struggle the German has capitalized the humanity and the civilized instincts of his foes; he is making full use of these sentiments now.

The simple truth is that the German thinks he can lay waste Northern France and Belgium and get away with it unscathed, even rewarded, in his own pocket, because he relies upon the idealism of his foes, and particularly of President Wilson, to protect him from all the consequences of his crimes and enable him to make his calculated profit out of the elimination of the industrial competition of the nations which he has attacked.

There is not the smallest element of accident in what is now taking place in Northern France and in Belgium. Cities and towns are not being destroyed as a result of battle. They are being systematically reduced to ashes in accordance with a long prepared plan. German retreat is being timed to coincide with the finishing touches of the torchbearer and the minelayer.

Is it conceivable that any American, high or low, can be deceived by any German words after the recent revelation of German deeds? And we are

only at the beginning of the disclosure; we are just entering Belgium, and in the next few weeks the story of German crime and oppression in Belgium will stagger humanity. Four years of slavery, despoliation, murder and worse than murder are to be unfolded when our liberating armies reach Brussels, Antwerp and Liege.

The German believes he can make peace before these facts are sufficiently known to give decisive character to the terms of peace he now seeks. He believes that while French cities are in ashes and French factories in ruins, he can in his own factories, freed from all French or Belgian competition, dominate world industry, as he tried to dominate world politics. He believes that, having reduced the merchant marine of the world by his unrestricted submarine warfare, he can coin money for his own shipping, which will take the place of the lost enemy boats.

The German has lost the battle—he knows it quite as well as we know it—but he has not yet lost the war. He is preparing for peace, but his preparations are being made in French and Belgian cities. Are we going to let him get away with it? If we do, what people will resist the next German attack? Certainly not the French or the Belgian—and on this as well as on industrial profits from devastation the German counts.

"We must deal with France in such fashion that she will never cross our pathway again," so Bernhardt wrote—and to this end Ludendorff is now laboring.

Everyday Etiquette

"How should the birth of my baby be announced?" asked Mrs. Young mother, anxiously.

"The etiquette of birth announcements is definite," answered her mother. "A pale blue or pale ink bordered note contains the announcement of the arrival, the date and weight and the names of the parents. It is sent out within twenty-four hours after the birth to all immediate relatives and intimate friends. The folded sheet fits into a two by two and a half inch envelope, which also has a narrow colored border."

CAPT. KIMBER WAS READY TO DIE OF CONSUMPTION

Doctors Told Him So, but He Is
Gaining Strength and Health
—Tells How.

"My case of tuberculosis was an advanced one, of over five years' standing. Was in a tuberculosis hospital for over a year and returned home worse than when I went. I had to give up a good position in New York City and move up into the Catskill mountains on the advice of my physician.

"The doctors said I was ready to die a year ago. I was so weak I could hardly stand up.

"I began taking Milks Emulsion last October. I have now taken ten large bottles and my gain in health and strength has been very steady. I am now able to walk to the village three miles and back, and sleep a little and every day.

"I used to fill a sputum box once a day and my cough was continual. Now I do not raise enough to fill a sputum box in a week. I do not cough any during the day, only when I get up in the morning.

"When I first began taking Milks Emulsion, and for some time after that, I couldn't take a deep breath without coughing. Now I can take in draughts of fresh air without any of the previous irritation. I had six hemorrhages prior to last October, but since taking Milks Emulsion I have not spit up a bit of blood and have been practically free from temperature.

"I have been treated by thirteen different doctors and had spent a great deal of money trying to find a cure. The doctors all told me that there was no medicine that could do this, so I was very skeptical about trying even the first bottle of Milks Emulsion. But I was persuaded to do so by a nurse who told me of two positive cures it had effected in her own family.

"Thank God, I tried it. I began to feel a beneficial effect only ten hours after I started taking it. I am continuing its use, feeling pretty sure it will effect a cure in my case, as I am steadily improving. The advanced stage of my disease had arrived before I heard of Milks Emulsion, and this is making my recovery slower than if I had started taking it a few years sooner."

Frederick E. Kimber, Danton Lodge, Cairo, N. Y.

Capt. Kimber wrote this letter Aug. 1, 1918. His condition had improved and health through this wonderful food medicine has been duplicated in hundreds of other advanced cases. Under the maker's guarantee, ever sufferer is welcomed to try it without risk. A bottle of Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physic. It promotes appetite and quickens the digestive organs, and helps to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Sayre & Hemphill.

PHYSICIANS ARE PUZZLED OVER STRANGE MALADY

Specialists are puzzled over the case of Melvin Henson, a pupil at the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, who is critically ill of a malady with which the doctors are unfamiliar. Dr. Andrew Timberman, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of Columbus, came to Xenia Tuesday afternoon, and consulted regarding the case with Dr. Reed Madden, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, and Dr. Eber Reynolds, dentist, regarding the case. The trouble appears to affect the child's head chiefly, and the eyes are bulging and discolored.

Heard Great Songstress.

When Jenny Lind visited Edinburg in 1865 she went into a music seller's in Princess street to buy some songs. The young man who served her, not knowing who stood before him, asked if she had heard the great Jenny Lind. The answer was in the affirmative, and the stranger then put the same question to him. Regretfully he replied that he had not been able to afford to go, much as he desired. Jenny Lind then asked him to play the accompaniment of the song she held in her hand. Unconscious of everything except the rich notes which poured from the singer's throat, the young man played on. When the song was finished the great singer remarked, "Now you have heard Jenny Lind," and left the shop without waiting for any thanks.

EIGHTY YEARS OLD-FIT AS A FIDDLE

"I had a bad case of stomach and bowel trouble that four doctors could not help. Suffered all kinds of pain, was filled with gas and constipation for years. I was advised to use Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Since taking a course of it four years ago my trouble has disappeared and have felt like a young man. Although 80 years old, I feel fit as a fiddle." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill, and all druggists everywhere.

Keep Your Eye on the Real Issue, Mr. Voter

"The Germanization of America has gone ahead too far to be interrupted. Whoever talks of the danger of the Americanization of the Germans now here is not well informed or cherishes a false conception of our relations. In a hundred years the American people will be conquered by the victorious German spirit, so that it will present an enormous German empire. Whoever does not believe this lacks confidence in the strength of the German spirit."

Letter of a New York German, Robert Thiem, to the Alldeutsche Blatter, September 20, 1902.



The Methods of the Kaiser

The Kaiser is shouting peace, arbitration, armistice, etc., in a vain attempt to make the world forget his ambitions for world conquest, to make the allies overlook his outrages upon humanity and dastardly plots and crimes, and to avoid the just judgment which the righteous indignation of the world will inflict upon him.

Likewise in America the liquor dealers shout "Personal Liberty" and high taxes" with a loud voice. They plead passionately for the absent soldier vote and enthusiastically tirade about the Anti-Saloon League. They work themselves into a feverish heat trying to make the voters forget about the real issues at stake, exactly what the Kaiser himself would do.

But the American people will not take their eyes off the Ball. They will remember the 64,000,000 pounds of sugar, the 68,000,000 bushels of grain, the 3,000,000 tons of coal, the 66,000 lives sacrificed by the liquor business, while school houses and churches were closed, tables were compelled to go sugarless, homes without fire and the world hungering for bread. They will not forget that Uncle Sam was sorely embarrassed for want of the very products the breweries were wasting.

They will not forget that it costs vastly more to care for the criminals, insane, feeble minded, dependents, etc., which are the direct product of the saloon, than the public revenue derived from the liquor business.

Nor will they lose sight of the fact that the drinker himself is the man who pays every cent of the taxes, that the liquor dealer wax so eloquent about. The liquor dealers, try to deceive the public into believing that the liquor dealer foots the bill. But the public is no longer susceptible to such dope. The drinker not only pays the tax, but he pays the liquor dealer several times the amount of the tax for collecting it.

Neither will the cry of "personal liberty" and "high taxes" cause the public to forget how liquor dealers seized upon the war situation to rob the public. How they purchased liquor at low rates and then soaked the drinker with the price.

The "Personal Liberty"—"high tax" yell of the liquor interests is nothing but their kaiseristic method of attempting to pull the wool over the eyes of the drinkers and voters in order to make them forget the outrageous crimes and suffering which liquor has inflicted upon humanity and that the Brewers financed German propaganda in the United States and trained with the Kaiser crowd.

The Kaiser himself could not think of a better way of hood-winking the American people than the ingenious invention of the liquor interests.

The voters will answer their pleas for peace as Wilson has answered the Kaiser, when they

Vote "YES" on Prohibition November 5th

Classified Advertising Rates.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1st, 1918
One cent per word each insertion 20% discount ad is run on week. Minimum 25c.
20% off for cash with order, or 10% off for at office or by mail within five days after last insertion date.

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FOR SALE

SALE CHEAP—2 spring wagons, 1 water and steam radiators, 1 second hand pipe, etc. Xenia on & Metal Co., 17 Cincinnati Ave. 11-5

SALE—Office furniture, Call room Steele Bldg. 11-6

SALE—Full blooded airedale pups. Eligible to register. J. Q. McLean, Jewettown. 11-7

SALE—1000 stocks of corn. Call onzo Carle, R. R. No. 1. 10-31

SALE—Five male Dorset hogs eligible to register. Call I. F. Stewart, Xenia, O. Citizens' phone 13. 10-31

SALE—At about one half of the worth, Garland Gem gas heating stove, only used two winters. Also 55 gallon gasoline tank. Both of these items are in excellent condition. Inquire at 420 N. King St. Citizens' phone No. 457. 10-31

SALE—Baby carriage, round, red, very finish, high grade cab. Splendid condition. Call Bell phone 847. 10-31

SALE—Cook range for coal or oil, good as new. Cheap if sold at. Call Bell 547-R. 10-31

SALE—Three Poland China male pigs. John A. Shirk, 1 mile south of Jasper. 10-31

SALE—Four year old driving cow, nine year old mare, and organ. W. Stewart, 511 E. Main St. 11-5

SALE—Pure bred Buff Rock chickens. M. E. Anderson, Yellow Springs. Citizens' phone No. 45. 11-5

SALE—Gas cook stove at Bones very, corner Main and Columbus streets. 10-31

SALE—Double house. 12 rooms, 2 bns. Jet 52x150. Will make nice place or better than 100. Call on Mr. A. C. Garwood, 205 N. King St. 10-31

SALE—Fine barred rock hens, pullets and one rooster. Citizens' phone Red. 10-31

SALE—3 Milch cows, Holsteins; 1 ring calves, weight 150 lbs. each; 2 ring heifers. Bell phone 252-W-4. In Frye. 10-31

SALE—One large roll top cherry ice chest and chair. One five gallon ice chest, one five gallon oil can. Geo. H. Smith, Cedarville. 10-31

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PUBLIC SALES

Have your sale announced FREE in this column early, so that you may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE—Oct. 31st, Thursday
10:30 a. m. at my residence, 2 miles from Xenia on the Lower Bellbrook pike. 41 head of cattle, registered bulls, 15 head of matured hogs. Grievé and Mills, Auctioneers. Frank Bickett, clerk. NC. FRANK BARNETT.

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 1st, 1918, at 10 o'clock, sharp, on the W. H. Barber farm, 1-3 mile west of Cedarville.
5 horses, 13 head of cattle, 30 head of hogs, 2 calves, 3 fall pigs, 500 bushels corn, and many other things. Titus, auctioneer; Jas. Andrew and Frank Hastings, clerks. D. S. DIXON.

PUBLIC SALE advertising in the Gazette and Republican bring the crowds. In the days of automobiles the farmer has no time to stop along the road to read sale bills. He is coming to depend upon these papers to notify him of the sale dates and articles to be offered for sale. It's the buyer from a distance who sees your ad in this paper, who jumps into his auto and hustles to your sale, who pays what your stuff is worth. Your neighbor no longer can stand around and pick off the best of the goods at an absurd price, as he does when you have not properly advertised, and gotten a good crowd. Let the Gazette and Republican if you want the worth of everything you offer. Don't try to save on your advertising.

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PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 1st, 12:30 sharp.
1 1/2 miles west of Xenia on the Upper Bellbrook pike, at my place—4 horses, 5 cattle, 4 Poland China brood sows, 100 barred rock chickens, farm implements and household goods. Wm. Mills, Auctioneer. E. O. BARNETT.

PUBLIC SALE—Wednesday, November 6, 1918, at 10:30 a. m. at my residence.
2 miles southeast of Xenia and one mile north of Paulsboro, Hussy pike—three head of horses, 14 head of cattle, 31 head of Shropshire sheep, 1 Duroc boar, all kinds of farming implements, some household goods, Grievé & Morrow, Auctioneers. N. C. L. R. JONES.

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 8th, at 1 o'clock,
at my residence 9 miles southeast of Xenia, and one mile south from the Spring Valley and Paintersville pike. 4 horses, 5 cattle, 8 fall pigs, 500 bushels corn in crib, chickens, Irish and sweet potatoes and some farm implements. Mills, Auctioneer. L. E. RUDDUCK.

PUBLIC SALE—Thursday, November 7th, 1918 at 10 a. m., on the McElroy farm, four miles southeast of Xenia, on the Stone road—125 hogs, 16 head of cattle, 171 head of sheep, 200 stocks of corn, 150 bushels oats, and skin, 20 hours and 20 fine oil. N. C. L. E. RUDDUCK.

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 9th, 2 1/2 miles east of Cedarville, between Columbus pike and Penn. pike—Poland China hogs. Great chance to get hogs just when you need them. You must have size and quality to carry over. This is the place to get both. Bid lines are the best. A great opportunity to get animals for a foundation herd in skin, 20 hours and 20 fine oil. Send for catalogue. Cedarville, R. 2. N. C. E. E. FINNEY.

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 11th at 12 p. m. at the Maple Wood farm, 2 mi. south of Xenia on the Union road, 58 head of big type Poland China hogs. Double immune Shropshire and Fleisher. Auctioneers. J. E. Sutton, Clerk. N. C. J. P. FUDGE & SON.

AUCTIONEERS

Who conduct Public Sales in and around Greene county:

Harry Kennon, Cedarville, O.
Col. Meade, Springfield, O.
Titus Eros, So. Charleston, O.
Mouk & Wm. Osborn, O.
Wm. Mills, New Burlington, O.
R. E. Grievé, Xenia, O.
Kocher Bros., Xenia, O.
W. T. Baker, R. D. Cedarville
W. F. Smith, Davies Bldg., Dayton
Carl Taylor, R. D. Jamestown
Harry Wilson, R. D. Cedarville
Robert Corry, Yellow Springs, O.
C. A. Hanes, R. 7, Xenia
Lester Shoup, R. 8, Dayton
Jess Stanley, R. D. Waynesville
W. Sears, Waynesville
C. T. Hawke, Waynesville
A. McNeal, Centerville, O.
Frank Morrow, R. D. Jamestown.
E. C. Sessler, Jamestown, O.

WANTED

WANTED—Good reliable High School girl to care for 2 children. Good school is out. Reference needed. Apply in person to 125 No. Detroit St. 11-1

WANTED—A wash woman Call Mrs. Jacobson, 500-R. 11-1

WANTED—Second hand gas range at once. Call Citizens 61 Green. 10-31

MISCELLANEOUS

BIG TYPE POLAND CHINA BOARS
Ready for service. Best of blood lines, choice individuals, well developed, easy feeders. We sell at private sale only. Each hog guaranteed a breeder. Satisfied customers in Greene County and in 19 states. Price reasonable and to sell. Also a few choice gifts. Call and see them.

H. C. CRESWELL,
Federal Pike. Cedarville, O. 10-31

NOTICE—I have moved from the Hawley road to 329 N. West St., Xenia, A. E. Kilday. Bell phone 156-W. 10-31

MADAME SMITH, hair dresser. Also makes switches. No. 4 Columbus St. Bell 467-J. 11-5

LARGE WORK HORSE to let for its feed to some one on farm. John Harbison, Allen Building, Xenia. 11-1

FISHBAG'S New and Second-Hand Store, 635, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell clothes, shoes, furniture, carpets. Citizens' phone G-23.

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay the highest prices for dead stock. Attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co. Bell 471-R. Citizens 20. 8-2417

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Either furnished or unfurnished rooms. Modern. Call 338 E. Market street. 1-1
FOR RENT—Flat, 3 rooms, bath. Call 20 W. Second. Bell phone 786-W. 11-1

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath, on West Main street. Inquire Mrs. H. E. Schmidt. 10-30

WANTED—Corn huskers by the day or shock. Bell phone 253-W-4. John Frye. 10-30

WANTED—Washing to do. 321 S. Miami Ave. 10-30

WANTED—One or two men to go in car to shuck corn. Car all furnished. F. W. Weimer, Cedarville, O. Citizens' phone. 10-30

FOR RENT—Living room and two storage rooms. Call at Gazette office. 9-417

FOR RENT—Living room in Gazette bldg for man only. Call at Gazette office. 10-30

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THREE PLAYERS IN NATIONAL LEAGUE ARE JOINT HOLDERS OF ODD HITTING RECORD



Casey Stengel, at left; Max Carey, at right, and Bill Fischer, below.

In the history of the National league only three men have been able to step up to the plate and slam out home runs in two consecutive innings, which you will admit is some hitting. Casey Stengel, Max Carey and Bill Fischer are the three. All are ex-Pirates, by the way. Casey got his August 19, 1913. Stengel got his May 1, the same year. Fischer's came May 16, 1917.

THE LOGIC OF WILSON'S APPEAL

(From Chicago Tribune)

Mr. Wilson is a scholar and a logician. He cannot therefore accept a theory that he himself is not aware of the lack of logic in his appeal for a Democratic congress which the facts of the Republican record on the war expose. Since the Republicans have given him greater support than the Democrats on all great war-measures, logic would compel him to ask for the election of a Republican congress—if what he in fact seeks is solely strong and reliable support in the conduct of the war.

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ALL TOGETHER NOW, FOR A REPUBLICAN CONGRESS, NEXT TUESDAY.

We will leave Generals Haig, Foch and Pershing and the boys over there, to attend to matters on their side, while the Republicans over here feel that they have an equally important task of turning a Democratic congress into a Republican one, in the few days between now and Tuesday next. We mean "equally important task" as regards anything we can do over here to win the war. Nothing tends more to cheer up the dear soldier boys than to have them know that their parents and friends at home are backing them and doing everything in their power to help in the great cause for which they are battling.

Deep down, what is that cause? Freedom for every man to do as he pleases, so long as he pleases to do right. In short to give to the world such a degree of freedom as we have in our own blessed country. And in the end, to blazon to the world that the day has passed when any man may feel himself "born to rule." The enlightenment of the age is such that the world slogan is rapidly assuming them that they are back numbers, and will have to go.

Two of the past Republican Presidents of this Land of Freedom, Colonel Roosevelt and Mr. Taft, have paid their respects to its present Democratic president, giving him hot stuff in the matter of his coming out in an appeal "to his countrymen" to vote the Democratic ticket. In view of the fact that the Republicans in Congress have whole heartedly supported all war measures, they deem Mr. Wilson's assault on them as a very unjust and shameful piece of business. It would have been bad enough if some one else had done this, but for the Commander-in-Chief of our Army to publicly falsely accuse the Republican congressmen with disloyalty, with the view of degrading them in the eyes of the world, is such an outrageous breach of common decency between gentlemen, that it is no wonder that the whole country resents the wicked slander.

Why does President Wilson want a Democratic congress? Because he wants to mould the members absolutely to his own will without consulting them. He has visited his displeasure on every Democratic member of either house who has differed with him, and has called upon that member's constituency to reject him. This is high-handed autocratic power, against the like of which the world is fighting today.

Great problems are to be solved in the matter of reconstruction after the war. Do the American people, by their action next Tuesday, wish to trust this to the uncontrolled will of Woodrow Wilson? This is the issue which he puts to them in his appeal: "Unless you give me uncontrolled power, you repudiate me and my leadership before the world."

We submit that with the whole machinery of a party administration on one side, it will be a good balance power to have a majority in Congress on the other side.

Instead of obstructing the President and our Allies in winning the war and a dictated peace, nothing would so discourage the Germans and hearten our Allies as the return of a Republican congress. Let us give it to them by all means.

Fly Pests.

Among the tall timbers of the antipodes nearly every horse is decorated with a red rag hung and his chin whiskers to stiff old bottles, and it is about as effective as a bishop's scapular would be. There are other bottles in Australia not nearly so well known. The kangaroo has one, and in this case the grub lodges in the throat. This particular grub was first discovered by Broughton of Moriana station, on the West coast (N. S. W.) way, a couple of years ago, the full-sized maggots being found by the wiregrape, and apparently causing the inconvenience to the host. Local entomologists are now investigating the habits of this insect. Another but found along the camel pads confines himself exclusively to the well-smelling hump-backed beasts. He is an importation from Arabia and does no noticeable damage.

FOCH'S ARMISTICE.

Nobody need worry about that German armistice. When it comes, as it will in its own good time, there is not going to be any nonsense about it. There will be no well-meaning but short-sighted philanthropists musing it up. There will be no half way statesmanship letting go of the enemy before the enemy himself has let go. There will be no diplomatic trickery perpetrated by Central European masters of the art.

Why are we so sure of all this? For the simple reason that, as President Wilson has informed Germany, "the process of evacuation and the condition of armistice are matters which must be left to the judgment and advice of the military advisers of the government of the United States and the Allied governments."

These governments are not even considering an armistice as yet. When they get ready to consider it, they will leave all the essential conditions and practical arrangements to Foch, Haig and Pershing.

The man having most to do with it will be Marshal Foch. At present he is too busy whipping Germans and taking their guns and ammunition to pay any attention to such matters. When he gets around to it he will take good care that the armistice will be of such a nature that it will leave Germany absolutely powerless for further harm. We can trust him for that.

ENQUIRER SAYS WILSON'S APPEAL WAS ILL-ADVISED

The Cincinnati Enquirer, the most rabid Democratic newspaper in Ohio, and which has fought every Republican candidate, state and national, says in an editorial in last Sunday's issue: "We are strongly, enthusiastically, consistently for the loyal support of the present administration."

"We believe that an honest difference of opinion, represented either by individuals or great political parties, is, has been, and always will continue to be, the saving grace of the nation."

"We are firmly convinced that when any grave question arises which involves patriotism, selfish partisanship feeling will always be swept aside by the American people, as it has been during the war, and a solid front presented to any and every enemy."

"President Wilson's plea for support of the candidates of his party as a pledge of support to himself is ill-timed and ill-advised, if, indeed, advice was asked or received. All America is supporting the administration regardless of politics. We believe that such support will still be accorded the president regardless of the outcome of the election. Whether they are Democrats or Republicans, we believe in placing Americans and Americans only on guard. That is the test that should be applied to every man's candidacy."

Letters From Our Readers

This column is for the use of our readers. In it they will be permitted the free discussion of subjects of general interest regardless of whether they agree with the views of the paper or not. No communications of a personal or malicious nature will be published. Neither will any anonymous communication be accepted.

Editor Gazette and Republican:

Now that we are not permitted to assemble in our churches, as is our custom, let us not grow impatient. We are not only members of a church, but also citizens of a great commonwealth, the life of which is to be guarded. We deplore this break in our religious work, which has upset many of our plans, but while that is true, it is the duty of churches to assist in fighting this almost fatal scourge. It is by our not meeting for a while, we assist in this way. We do well to fall in line. Of course, we think a little strangely that saloons, the very hatches of disease, were left open, the operation of which does not add to the uplift of the people at all, but we should still cooperate with the officials of the public health in stamping out this scourge.

I admonish you, as Christians, to be patient. We can be constant in our attendance at the family altar, while we wait for the ban to be lifted. While we cannot in our public demonstrations show that we are following the Christ, we can by our private meditations approach a throne of grace, as did the Prophet Daniel in other days. If by our not meeting, we have assisted in some small degree in preserving the life of anyone, and at the same time have put ourselves in harmony with law and order, we have done well.

Pastor of First A. M. E. Church.

Frog's Remarkable Peculiarities.
In the manner of disposing of their eggs many species of frogs exhibit remarkable peculiarities. One of the most curious, a tree frog, native of Paraguay, makes its nest in a bush overhanging a pond. The lower ends of a number of leaves are drawn together and fixed in that position by a number of empty egg-capsules. The eggs are also covered with a shield of empty capsules, to protect them from the sun and air. When the eggs are hatched the plug at the bottom appears to fall out and the tadpole tumbles into the water.

GERMANS HAVE STRANGE WAY OF PREPARING FOR PEACE

By Frank H. Simonde.
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We should be a very naive people, indeed, quite as stupid as von Papen declared, if we did not understand exactly what the German campaign of fire and explosion in Northern France means. The German is getting ready to make peace, and this is his idea of the fashion in which to prepare for the end of hostilities.

In German logic the situation is this: At no distant time hostilities will be over and then the business of manufacture and trade will begin again. When this business begins the German will once more have to compete with the rest of the world. Among his competitors are the manufacturers of Northern France and of Belgium. This being the case, it is his duty, while the power remains in his hands, to abolish all chance of future competition.

Against such an eventuality he began his preparations long ago. In the winter of 1914-15 he removed all the machinery from the great manufacturing centers of Lille, Roubaix and Tourcoing and transported it back to Germany. He has continued this systematic spoliation of the industrial establishments of France and Belgium ever since. Now he is going one step further and destroying the buildings in which the machinery was originally installed and the cities in which the industries were conducted.

The region through which the German is now retreating is one of the great industrial districts of Europe. Lille, Tourcoing and Roubaix, practically constituting a single city of over 40,000 inhabitants, are the great industrial towns of France. Cambrai, Douai and a score of smaller places now in the war news are similarly busy centers of French manufacture. Lens, whose complete ruin has been reported, is the chief coal mining town of France. Scattered about it are the smaller villages which, with Lens, supply almost all of the coal essential to French industry. Between these various cities and towns run many canals, useful in the transportation of material.

Now the factories, the mines, the canals, are all being systematically destroyed, together with the cities in the district. Every thing of the smallest value which could be moved has been moved back to Germany; what could not be moved is being ruined or destroyed by fire and dynamite.

It is the German's calculation that when he has completed this work of systematic and deliberate destruction industrial France and industrial Belgium will be wiped off the map and that it will be a matter of years before either can be restored. In these years German manufactures will profit by the absence of French and Belgian competition, and in this way the burden of the war will be transferred from Germany to France and Belgium.

It is essential that this whole programme, and it is a programme, should be fully appreciated by the American people. When he has completed his task of devastation the German expects to make peace. He expects to be able to explain that such ruin as has come to France and Belgium is the natural, if regrettable, consequence of war. He will weep over this ruin, as the Kaiser wept for Louvain, for Rheims and for much else, but he means to keep up his campaign of arson to the very last moment.

More than all this, the very best incentive to the German industry in destruction at the present hour is the ever insistent declaration in many quarters that there must be no reprisal at the end of the war; no punishment which will hurt German feelings and therefore lessen the chance for an enduring league of nations to function. From the very outset of the struggle the German has capitalized the humanity and the civilized instincts of his foes; he is making full use of these sentiments now.

The simple truth is that the German thinks he can lay waste Northern France and Belgium and get away with it unscathed, even rewarded, in his own pocket, because he relies upon the idealism of his foes, and particularly of President Wilson, to protect him from all the consequences of his crimes and enable him to make his calculated profit out of the elimination of the industrial competition of the nations which he has attacked.

There is not the smallest element of accident in what is now taking place in Northern France and in Belgium. Cities and towns are not being destroyed as a result of battle. They are being systematically reduced to ashes in accordance with a long prepared plan. German retreat is being timed to coincide with the finishing touches of the torchbearer and the minelayer.

It is conceivable that any American, high or low, can be deceived by any German words after the recent revelation of German deeds? And we are

only at the beginning of the disclosure; we are just entering Belgium, and in the next few weeks the story of German crime and oppression in Belgium will stagger humanity. Four years of slavery, despoliation, murder and worse than murder are to be unfolded when our liberating armies reach Brussels, Antwerp and Liege.

The German believes he can make peace before these facts are sufficiently known to give decisive character to the terms of peace he now seeks. He believes that while French cities are in ashes and French factories in ruins, he can in his own factories, freed from all French or Belgian competition, dominate world industry, as he tried to dominate world politics. He believes that, having reduced the merchant marine of the world by his unrestricted submarine warfare, he can coin money for his own shipping, which will take the place of the lost enemy boats.

The German has lost the battle—he knows it quite as well as we know it—but he has not yet lost the war. He is preparing for peace, but his preparations are being made in French and Belgian cities. Are we going to let him get away with it? If we do, what people will resist the next German attack? Certainly not the French or the Belgian—and on this as well as on industrial profits from devastation the German counts.

"We must deal with France in such fashion that she will never cross our pathway again," so Bernhardt wrote—and to this end Ludendorff is now laboring.

Everyday Etiquette

"How should the birth of my baby be announced?" asked Mrs. Young mother, anxiously.

"The etiquette of birth announcements is definite," answered her mother. "A pale blue or pale pink bordered note contains the announcement of the arrival, the date and weight and the names of the parents. It is sent out within twenty-four hours after the birth to all immediate relatives and intimate friends. The folded sheet fits into a two by two and a half inch envelope, which also has a narrow colored border."

CAPT. KIMBER WAS READY TO DIE OF CONSUMPTION

Doctors Told Him So, but He Is
Gaining Strength and Health
—Tells How.

"My case of tuberculosis was an advanced one, of over five years' standing. Was in a tuberculosis hospital for over a year and returned home worse than when I went. I had to give up a good position in New York City and move up into the Catskill mountains on the advice of my physician."

"The doctors said I was ready to die a year ago. I was so weak I could hardly stand up."

"I began taking Milks Emulsion last October. I have now taken 18 large bottles and my gain in health and strength has been very steady. I am now able to walk to the village three miles and back, and chop a little wood every day. I used to fill a sputum box once a day and my cough was continual. Now I do not raise enough to fill a sputum box in a week. I do not cough any during the day, only when I get up in the morning."

"When I first began taking Milks Emulsion, and for some time after that, I couldn't take a deep breath without coughing. Now I can take in draughts of fresh air without any of the previous irritation. I had six hemorrhages prior to last October, but since taking Milks Emulsion I have not spit up a bit of blood and have been practically free from temperature."

"I have been treated by thirteen different doctors, and had spent all my money trying to find a cure. The doctors all told me that there was no medicine that could do this, so I was very skeptical about trying even the first bottle of Milks Emulsion. But I was persuaded to do so by a nurse who told me of two positive cures it had effected in her own family."

"Thank God, I tried it. I began to feel better after only ten hours after I started taking it. I am continuing its use, feeling pretty sure it will effect a cure in my case, as I am steadily improving. The advanced stage of my disease had arrived before I heard of Milks Emulsion, and this is making my recovery slower than if I had started taking it a few years sooner."

—Capt. Frederick E. Kimber, Dunton Lodge, Cairo, N. Y.

Capt. Kimber wrote this letter Aug. 1, 1918. His constant gain in strength and health through this wonderful food medicine has been duplicated in hundreds of other advanced cases. Under the maker's guarantee, every sufferer is welcome to try it without risking a cent. Milks Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritious food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, normal bowel action, doing away with all acid, indigestion and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to run-down, nervous people, and it has produced amazing results in many cases of tuberculosis of the lungs. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. A truly wonderful medicine for weak, sickly children. No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milks Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milks Emulsion Co., Torre Haute, Ind. Sold and guaranteed by Sayre & Hemphill.

PHYSICIANS ARE PUZZLED OVER STRANGE MALADY

Specialists are puzzled over the case of Melvin Henson, a pupil at the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, who is critically ill of a malady with which the doctors are unfamiliar. Dr. Andrew Timberman, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of Columbus, came to Xenia Tuesday afternoon, and consulted regarding the case with Dr. Reed Madden, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, and Dr. Eber Reynolds, dentist, regarding the case. The trouble appears to affect the child's heart chiefly, and the eyes are bulging and discolored.

Heard Great Songstress.

When Jenny Lind visited Edinburgh in 1865 she went into a music seller's in Princess street to buy some songs. The young man who served her, not knowing who stood before him, asked if she had heard the great Jenny Lind. The answer was in the affirmative, and the stranger then put the same question to him. Regretfully he replied that he had not been able to afford to go, much as he desired the accompaniment of the song she held in her hand. Unconscious of everything except the rich notes which poured from the singer's throat, the young man played on. When the song was finished the great singer remarked, "Now you have heard Jenny Lind," and left the shop without waiting for any thanks.

EIGHTY YEARS OLD—FIT AS A FIDDLE

"I had a bad case of stomach and bowel trouble that four doctors could not help. Suffered all kinds of pain, was filled with gas and constipation for years. I was advised to use Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Since taking a course of it four years ago my trouble has disappeared and have felt like a young man. Although 80 years old, I feel fit as a fiddle." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill, and all druggists everywhere.

Keep Your Eye on the Real Issue, Mr. Voter

"The Germanization of America has gone ahead too far to be interrupted. Whoever talks of the danger of the Americanization of the Germans now here is not well informed or cherishes a false conception of our relations. In a hundred years the American people will be conquered by the victorious German spirit, so that it will present an enormous German empire. Whoever does not believe this lacks confidence in the strength of the German empire."

Letter of a New York German, Robert Thiem, to the Alldeutsche Blatter, September 20, 1902.



The Methods of the Kaiser

The Kaiser is shouting peace, arbitration, armistice, etc., in a vain attempt to make the world forget his ambitions for world conquest, to make the allies overlook his outrages upon humanity and dastardly plots and crimes, and to avoid the just judgment which the righteous indignation of the world will inflict upon him.

Likewise in America the liquor dealers shout "Personal Liberty" and high taxes" with a loud voice. They plead passionately for the absent soldier vote and enthusiastically tirade about the Anti-Saloon League. They work themselves into a feverish heat trying to make the voters forget about the real issues at stake, exactly what the Kaiser himself would do.

But the American people will not take their eyes off the Ball. They will remember the 64,000,000 pounds of sugar, the 68,000,000 bushels of grain, the 3,000,000 tons of coal, the 66,000 lives sacrificed by the liquor business, while school houses and churches were closed, tables were compelled to go sugarless, homes without fire and the world hungering for bread. They will not forget that Uncle Sam was sorely embarrassed for want of the very products the breweries were wasting.

They will not forget that it costs vastly more to care for the criminals, insane, feeble minded, dependents, etc., which are the direct product of the saloon, than the public revenue derived from the liquor business.

Nor will they lose sight of the fact that the drinker himself is the man who pays every cent of the taxes, that the liquor dealer wax so eloquent about. The liquor dealers, try to deceive the public into believing that the liquor dealer foots the bill. But the public is no longer susceptible to such dope. The drinker not only pays the tax, but he pays the liquor dealer several times the amount of the tax for collecting it.

Neither will the cry of "personal liberty" and "high taxes" cause the public to forget how liquor dealers seized upon the war situation to rob the public. How they purchased liquor at low rates and then soaked the drinker with the price. The "Personal Liberty"—"high tax" yell of the liquor interests is nothing but their kaiseristic method of attempting to pull the wool over the eyes of the drinkers and voters in order to make them forget the outrageous crimes and suffering which liquor has inflicted upon humanity and that the Brewers financed German propaganda in the United States and trained with the Kaiser crowd.

The Kaiser himself could not think of a better way of hood-winking the American people than the ingenious invention of the liquor interests.

The voters will answer their pleas for peace as Wilson has answered the Kaiser, when they

Vote "YES" on Prohibition November 5th

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FOR SALE CHEAP—One horse wagon, thirty rods new hog fence, new electric iron, rider press, fifty feet rubber hose, oil range, 2000 crates, 11 Woolley, Jasper Station. 11-1

FOR SALE—A pure bred Poland China male hog, a prolific breeder. Fremont Mills, Spring Valley. 10-21

FOR SALE—No more automobiles manufactured after January. Second hand automobiles will be worth twice as much as they are now. We are offering for quick sale the following list of repainted overhauled second hand cars at bargain prices. Call quick, they won't last long. One Maxwell 5 passenger touring car, good condition, \$250.00. One Overland 5 passenger touring car, runs good, \$325.00. One Maxwell 5 passenger touring car, light model, \$325.00. One Maxwell 2 passenger roadster, fine condition, \$350.00. One Studebaker light 5 passenger, runs like new, \$400.00. One Michigan 5 passenger, with electric lights and starter, \$500.00. One Reo 5 passenger, 1916 model, fine condition, starter and lights, \$750.00. One Overland 5 passenger, 1916 model, run 10,000 miles, \$750.00. One Studebaker 7 passenger, 1917 model, same as new, \$850.00. One one-half ton truck, Ford form-a-truck model, almost new, \$550.00. Sutton Auto Sales Agency, Corner East and Main, 314 Whitehall street, Xenia, Ohio. Open evenings by appointment, only. Call either phone. 9-201f

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Phil Secondhand and Repair, Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-81f

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Dark Jersey heifer, aged 13 months. Call Wallace Edwards, R. R. No. 1 Springfield, O. Clifton exchange 463 Bell. 10-21

LOST—White embroidered cuff on streets on Sunday night. Call Bell 471-W. 10-21

LOST—Order book containing names of persons on Church, Market, Main streets and Dayton Avenue. Leave at New Manhattan restaurant. Reward. 10-21

REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE and loans; notes bought. John Harbino Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, O. 9-111f

WOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Or loan you money. It will pay 2% to see me. Office 17 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. 20th phones. 6-11f

JOHN W. PRUGH, "the Real Estate Man" will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years of successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11f

PUBLIC SALES

Have your sale announced FREE in this column early as you can. You may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE—Oct. 31st, Thursday 10:30 a. m. at my residence, 2 miles from Xenia on the Lower Leebrook pike. 41 head of cattle, registered bulls, 175 head of improved hogs. Grive and Mills, Auctioneers. Frank Barnett, clerk. NC

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 1st, 1918, at 10 o'clock sharp, on the W. H. Barber farm, 1.2 mi. west of Cedarville. 5 horses, 13 head of cattle, 30 head of hogs, farm implements, hay, shoe corn, and many other things. Titus, auctioneer; Jas. Andrew and Frank Hastings, clerks. NC

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 1st, 12:30 sharp, 1 1/2 miles west of Xenia on the Upper Leebrook pike, at my place—4 horses, 5 cattle, 4 Poland China brood sows, 100 head red chickens, 14 head of pigs, and household goods. Wm. Mills, Auct. E. O. BARNETT.

PUBLIC SALE—Wednesday, November 6, 1918, at 10:30 a. m. at my residence, 2 miles southeast of Xenia and one mile north of Paintsville on Hussy pike, three head of horses, 14 head of cattle, 31 head of Shropshire sheep, 1 Duroc boar, all kinds of farming implements, and some household goods. Grive & Morrow, Auctioneers. NC

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 8th, at 1 o'clock, at my residence 3 miles southeast of Xenia, and one mile south from the Spring Valley and Paintsville pike. 4 horses, 5 cattle, 8 fall pigs, 500 bu. corn, 100 bushels of Irish and sweet potatoes and some farm implements. Mills, Auct. L. E. RUDDUCK.

PUBLIC SALE—Thursday, November 7th, 1918 at 10 a. m. on the McElroy farm, four miles southeast of Xenia, on the Stone road—125 hogs, 35 head of cattle, 171 head of sheep, 200 hocks of corn, 150 bushels oats, and one mature spreader. R. R. Grive, Auctioneer. H. D. WHITTINGTON.

PUBLIC SALE—Nov. 9th, 2 1/2 miles east of Cedarville, between Columbus pike and Union road. 100 head of sheep. Great chance to get hogs just when you need them. You must have size and bone to carry pounds. Have the place to get both. Blood lines are the best. A great opportunity to get animals for a foundation herd not akin to 20 years of crossbreeding. Send for catalogue. Cedarville, R-2. E. E. FINNEY.

AUCTIONEERS

Who conduct Public Sales in and around Greene County:

Harry Kennon, Cedarville, O. Col. Meade, Springfield, O. Titus Bros., So. Charleston, O. Monk & W. L. Polard, Xenia, O. Wm. Mills, New Burlington, O. R. R. Grive, Xenia, O. Kogler Bros., R. 7, Xenia. Lester Shoup, R. 8, Dayton. Jess Stanley, R. D. Waynesville. W. Sears, Waynesville. C. T. Hawke, Waynesville. A. A. McNeal, Centerville, O. Frank Morrow, R. D. Jamestown. E. C. Seeslar, Jamestown, O.

WANTED

WANTED—Good reliable High School girl to care for 2 year old child while school is in session. Apply in person to 125 No. Detroit St. 11-1

WANTED—A wash woman Call Mrs. Jacobson, 560-R. 11-1

WANTED—Second hand gas range at once. Call Citizens 61 Green. 10-21

MISCELLANEOUS

BIG TYPE POLAND CHINA BOARS

Ready for service. Best of blood, three choice individuals, well developed, easy feeders. We sell at private sale only. Each hog guaranteed a breeder. Satisfied customers in Greene county and in 19 states. Priced reasonable and to sell. Also a few choice gifts. Call and see them.

H. C. CRESWELL, Federal Pike. Cedarville, O. 10-21

NOTICE—I have moved from the Hawkins road to 329 N. West St., Xenia, A. E. Kilday. Bell phone 156-W. 10-21

MADAME SMITH, hair dresser. Also makes switches. No. 4 Columbus St. Bell 467-J. 11-5

LARGE WORK HORSE to let for its feed to some one on farm. John Harbino, Allen Building, Xenia. 11-1

FISHBACK'S New and Second-Hand Store, 635, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell clothes, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, etc. Citizens phone 5-22f.

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay the highest prices. Prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co. Bell 471-R. Citizens 20, 8-241f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Either furnished or unfurnished rooms. Modern. Call 328 E. Market street. 1-1

FOR RENT—2 Flat, 2 rooms, bath. Call 20 W. Second. Bell phone 786-W. 11-1

FOR RENT—Three rooms and bath, on West Main street. Inquire Mrs. H. E. Schmidt. 10-30

WANTED—Corn huskers by the day or shock. Bell phone 253-W-4. John Frye. 10-30

WANTED—Washing to do. 221 S. Miami Ave. 10-30

WANTED—One or two men to go in car to shock corn. Car all furnished. F. W. Weimer, Cedarville, O. Citizens phone. 10-30

FOR RENT—Living room and two storage rooms. Call at Gazette office. 9-11f

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THREE PLAYERS IN NATIONAL LEAGUE ARE JOINT HOLDERS OF ODD HITTING RECORD



Casey Stengel, at left; Max Carey, at right, and Bill Fischer, below.

In the history of the National league only three men have been able to step up to the plate and slam out home runs in two consecutive innings—which you will admit is some hitting. Casey Stengel, Max Carey and Bill Fischer are the three. All are ex-Pirates, by the way. Casey got his August 12, 1913. Stengel got his May 1, the same year. Fischer's came May 16, 1917.

THE LOGIC OF WILSON'S APPEAL

(From Chicago Tribune)

Mr. Wilson is a scholar and a logician. We cannot therefore accept a theory that he himself is not aware of the lack of logic in his appeal for a Democratic congress which the facts of the Republican record on the war expose. Since the Republicans have even him greater support than the Democrats on all great war-measures, logic would compel him to ask for the election of a Republican congress—if what he in fact seeks is solely strong and reliable support in the conduct of the war.

We are forced by his partisan appeal, therefore, to conclude that under cover of a solemn patriotic exhortation he is concerned not with the support of the war, to which he confesses the Republicans are loyally committed, but with other objects.

But when this necessary implication is admitted the reason for Republican voting against their own party disappears. Republicans wish the war carried on to complete victory. Their representatives fulfill their will. But Republicans do not wish to support Mr. Wilson's party purposes

QUARANTINE AT CAMP SHERMAN LIFTED TUESDAY

Chillicothe, Ohio, Oct. 30. — The quarantine placed upon Camp Sherman four weeks ago was officially raised at noon Tuesday and as far as the influenza epidemic is concerned it is a thing of the past. Routine work has again been resumed.

The camp was closed to the outside world October 2, when it was found there were 5,000 cases of influenza and 1,000 cases of pneumonia in camp. During the four weeks approximately 50 per cent of the men became afflicted with influenza.

The lifting of the quarantine means that visitors will again be permitted to enter the camp on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday. The rules governing visitors in effect before the quarantine will continue in effect. Visitors will be allowed in camp from 5 until 9 o'clock on Wednesdays; from noon until 9 o'clock on Saturdays and from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m. on Sundays.

Civilians, however, will not be allowed to enter theaters or other places in camp where public entertainments are given until the quarantine has been raised in Chillicothe.

WIFE HIS PROXY

She Joins a Church Representing Absent Army Husband.

While Walter R. Hinton of Sellersburg, Ind., was on his way to France in the American expeditionary force he was accepted into membership of the Methodist Episcopal church at Sellersburg by proxy, his young wife, Mrs. Verd Jones Hinton, taking in his stead the "right hand of fellowship" held out by the pastor, Rev. Merritt Machlan, and the members of the church.

Hinton was stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, and made a profession of faith at a Y. M. C. A. religious meeting. He wrote to the home minister he desired to join the church, but the pressure of war duties did not permit him doing so in person before he was ordered West.

SALT'S FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We eat too much meat, which clogs Kidneys, then Back hurts and Bladder Bothered You.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness, and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding local complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

Credited to Jesuit Priests.

While he was traveling in the West Douglas Hutchinson of Seattle had his attention called to three Roman letters, preceded by a cross, carved into the rocky face of Clarke mountain, in the basin of the Colorado river. The cliff is more than 200 feet in height and the letters and cross are about 60 feet in length. There is no authentic history of their origin, but Mr. Hutchinson found out that they are believed to have been carved by priests who established a Jesuit mission a considerable distance from the mountain.

EAST END NEWS

Miss Lillian Ross of Columbus, returned home after a few days visit with Dr. and Mrs. Moore of E. Market street.

Words can not express our heartfelt thanks to our relatives and friends for kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and daughter, and her dear little baby. Especially do we thank Rev. A. M. Howe and Rev. G. W. Beeton, and the many friends for flowers.

Walter Shoecraft, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelsey. Mr. Abe Smith and four other members of his family are sick at their home on Hall street. He has the pneumonia and the others have the influenza.

FLYING TRIP IS MADE BY WILLIS THROUGH OHIO

Escorted by a group of Xenia Republicans who had only a few hours notice of the coming of F. B. Willis, candidate for governor made an unexpected visit to Xenia Tuesday evening, conferred with Greene County leaders and met with little groups of voters. On the way to Xenia, Governor Willis made stops at London, South Charleston, Cedarville and Wilberforce. At London and Cedarville he made 5 minute addresses in the open. At all points, Governor Willis says he was assured of support a considerable volume of which comes from Democrats who are displeased with the recent utterances of President Wilson in attempting to dictate the election to Congress.

In the Xenia party were: Judge C. H. Kyle, H. D. Smith, J. Kenneth Williamson, H. E. Schmidt, I. T. Cummings, H. S. LeSourd, J. W. Prugh, Roy Hayward, B. F. Thomas, A. E. Faulkner, W. B. McAllister, R. D. Williamson, C. H. Little, and Representative W. B. Bryson.

At Wilberforce University, the commander had a battalion of the cadets parade, after which Governor Willis addressed a few words to them, complimenting them on their soldierly appearance and calling their attention to the fact that the colored race for which the last great war in this country was fought is now doing valiant service for the world.

While no arrangements had been made for an open air meeting in Xenia such a large crowd of men gathered about Governor Willis' car that it was decided to introduce him for an informal talk. He was enthusiastically received by an audience of over a hundred men and his remarks brought forth repeated applause. In part Governor Willis said:

Monday, I noticed that the Democratic Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Adoo, Democratic General of the Railroads of the United States found it necessary to come into Ohio to inspect railroad terminals and give out statements advising the people to vote the Democratic ticket, and it occurred to me that there might be a few Republican terminals in the state that need inspection this week. Not having a Democratic National administration back of us, we can not travel in special trains, they being the prerogatives of Democrats.

Thanks to the good roads built during the last Republican state administration, which in two years constructed more good roads in the state of Ohio than in any equal period of time before or since, and at a reduced overhead expense of \$5000 per month in the state highway department. It is pleasant and convenient to travel by automobile.

The Republicans of Ohio have a sense of relief since President Wilson by his recent proclamation has reconvened the state, word is coming that sincere, patriotic, red-blooded Americans resent the imputation that they cannot vote the Republican ticket without being considered traitors. Republicans everywhere are as interested in the winning of the war as are Democrats. We cannot say enough in praise of the glorious work of the brave American boys under General Pershing. The rapidity and the brilliancy of our success must make us consider very seriously one of the state issues involved in this campaign. It is the proposed amendment to the constitution which requires a Republican legislature committed to the ratification of a dry amendment. Do not be deceived by the Democratic talk, that Congress has taken care of the matter. There is no such thing as war-time prohibition. At the present moment it looks as though the war would be over before the proposed amendment for the elimination of the liquor traffic would be acted on by Congress, but even that is held up by committee. It is one of the wet Democratic tricks calculated to make the Drys less active and at the same time, hold the Wets together. The Republican party is definitely committed to the dry issue.

The Democratic state platform is absolutely silent in the dry issue and upon every other state issue. Its third-term candidate has steadfastly refused to commit himself in this question. Sometime ago, he stated that he would clear up the matter soon after the primaries. I hope as I travel over the state, I may discover some one to whom the governor has whispered his conviction. Persons who seek third terms in violation of all Democratic policies should at least have courage to state their convictions. There will be no third terms in the office of Governor of Ohio.

The people of Greene county should deem it a rare privilege to support so splendid an American and capable a representative as S. D. Fess. As Congressman from the 7th district, he is an honor to the district and to the state of Ohio. I also hope that special attention will be given to county elections as well as state. If I am elected governor, I am particularly anxious that there be an assembly that will work in harmony with the constructive program of the administration.

Only women who have suffered the tortures of such troubles and have dragged along from day to day can realize the relief which this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, brought to Mrs. Alters.

Women everywhere in Mrs. Alters' condition should profit by her recommendation, and if there are any complications write Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. The result of their 40 years experience is at your service.

For a Chafed Skin
Over 100,000 people have proven that nothing relieves the soreness like **Sykes Comfort Powder**. One box proves its extraordinary healing power. Fresh people take notice. Incol and other drug stores. Sykes Co., Boston, Mass.

Meat-Saving Dishes
deliciously and economically
Made Without Eggs

Meat-saving dishes become full-fledged money-saving dishes by using **SA-VAN**. For this pure, wholesome baking compound doesn't cost one-quarter as much as egg.

You'll use **SA-VAN** with complete success the first time. Where the recipe calls for egg, you simply use a teaspoonful of **SA-VAN** with 1/2 less shortening. It thickens, lightens and leavens. Try it. Test it out for yourself.

SA-VAN
is indeed a timely help for the thrifty housewife. There are 36 teaspoonfuls in the 25c package—it goes a long way. It is always ready. It never will deteriorate. Is as easy to use as sugar. Use it in all your baking and cooking. You'll save dollars and dollars on your egg bill, and results will delight you.

Use **SA-VAN** in cookies, cakes, puddings, desserts, salad dressing, breadings, muffins, gravies—in everything, in fact, where ordinarily you have used eggs. Buy **SA-VAN** at your grocers. The 25c package saves over \$1.

CORNMEAL FISH CAKES
2 level cups cold cornmeal mush, 1 level cup shredded fish, 1 level teaspoonful **SA-VAN**, dissolved in 6 spoonfuls of water. 1 level teaspoonful of oil. Mix cornmeal mush and **SA-VAN** with fork. Add fish and water. Shape into balls. Fry in oil. Drain on paper. Eat hot. Pick it over and eat. The fish balls are so tender and moist. These fish balls are so tender and moist. These fish balls are so tender and moist.

LIBERTY CROQUETTES
One-half cup rice, three-fourths teaspoonful salt, cook until tender and dry. While still lukewarm, add to each cup of boiled rice one level teaspoonful **SA-VAN**, dissolved in six spoonfuls of water. Add a speck of white pepper and a bit of butter. Mold and set away to cool. Roll in flour and deep fry for one minute. Make in shape of pyramid.

FORTY FIVE NEW CASES DEVELOP AT O. S. & S. O. HOME

There were seven cases of pneumonia in the detention ward of the O. S. & S. O. Home hospital, Wednesday morning.

Six of the cases were showing improvement, the temperatures being lowered, but one case, that of a colored boy, remained stubborn, and the lad had a temperature of hundred and four and a half degrees. Dr. Hewitt was hopeful that the case would yield to treatment during the day.

Forty-five new cases of influenza were reported up until nine o'clock, Tuesday night, and between that time and 9 o'clock, Wednesday morning, there were only five new cases of the malady reported to the physician's office. As the majority of the new cases have been reported to the doctor early each morning, since the epidemic opened, Dr. Hewitt took this fact as an encouraging indication. He expected the new cases reporting each day to be very materially reduced over those of the last few days.

There are about 47 patients discharged as cured from the convalescent wards Tuesday.

The number of patients in the influenza wards continues about the same, close to 400.

There are a number of patients whose temperatures are running high, and these cases are being watched closely for symptoms of pneumonia.

So far, only about eight or ten of the adults at the institution have fallen ill of influenza, and they are all doing nicely.

Dr. Hewitt says that the probable reason for few of the adults contracting the malady is that most of them have probably had the ailment, and thus are rendered partially immune to it.

Her Beau Was No Adonis.

A girl with a stunning figure, big brown eyes, peachlike complexion and wavy black hair, lovely enough to become the bride of a prince, stood around the Union station recently watching and waiting, relates the Topeka Globe. Finally her face became illuminated; a spindly, weak-eyed, under-sized young man slouched in sight, homely enough to stop a clock. The two talked, and every once in a while the princesslike girl dabbed her eyes with a handkerchief. At last a train puffed in under the station shed. The young man waved an indifferent goodbye to the beautiful creature, who clung to him sobbing until he moved away. "Is he her brother, her cousin, or her uncle? No; he is her beau. Girls are the funniest things in the world."

Natural Curiosity.

Miss Oldbird was airing her views on marriage and men to Miss Flappette, and it was evident that she was what is known as a man hater. "I can't care for men, my dear," she said to her young friend. "In fact, I already have said 'No' to several of them." "Indeed," said the young thing with a twinkle in her eye. "What were they selling?"

BLOOD AND NERVES

Best and Most Economical Treatment for Combination of Ailments.

Impure, impoverished, iron-lacking blood and weak, unsteady, under-nourished nerves form a combination of ailments that is most successfully treated with Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pepsin.

Taken in conjunction, one before eating and the other after, these two your druggist for a bottle of "Caliform" and form the most economical treatment—Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, rheumatism, catarrh, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, that tired feeling; Pepsin for anemia, tired nerves and exhaustion.

In cases where there is biliousness or constipation, Hood's Pills give prompt relief. Sold by all druggists.

CONSTIPATION

Biliousness—Headache
Dr. Chase's Liver Tablets
Make the liver active, bowels regular without pain or gripping, relieve sick headache and that bloated feeling after eating. Purify the blood and clear the complexion.

Large box, enough to last a month, 30c. United Medicine Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Keeps Your Stove Shining Bright
Gives a brilliant glossy shine that does not rub off or dust off—lasts four times as long as any other.

Black Silk Stove Polish
Is a class by itself. It's more carefully made and made from better materials. Try it on your parlor stove, your coal-burner or your gas range. If you don't find it the best polish you have used, your hardware or grocery dealer is authorized to refund your money.

There's a Shine in Every Drop
Get a Can TODAY

BUY STAMPS FOR STEEL THAT HUNS WILL FEEL.

Two Great Suit Specials For This Week



All Wool, well tailored, newest fall and winter suits in Gabardines, Burrella, Poplin and Scotch Mixtures, all sizes in the lot specially priced for this week, at each

\$19.75

LOT NO. 2.—Serges poriet twill and Gabardines, excellent styles and suits you would expect to pay much more for, specially priced for this week at each,

\$24.75

JERSEY DRESSES SPECIALLY PRICED AT \$21.75

11 Choice All Wool Jersey Dresses, all sizes in the colors are Beaver, Taupes, Tans, Joffre Blues, Dresses that were priced up to \$32.50, representing this seasons best styles. Colors and quality if Jersey Cloths priced very special this week at each **\$21.75**

THIS WEEK YOU CAN BUY FINE SILK DRESS AT \$14.95

More than 35 Choice Dresses in the lot, all sizes, no two alike in Satins, Crepe Meteor and Combination Georgetown and Satin, the Colors are Beaver, Taupe, Navy Blue, Browns and Black. Sizes are 16 to 44. Dresses that were priced to \$20.00, a few higher in price. Your choice of lot for this week at each. **\$14.95**

YOUR NEW FALL HAT IS HERE THIS WEEK AT \$3.95

More than 50 New Trimmed Velvet Hats in all new shapes and all the correct new colors. \$5.00 values selected for this week's selling **\$3.95...**

TWO GOOD SHOE ITEMS FOR SCHOOL GIRLS

Child's Black Lace Boot, sizes 11-2 to 2, a good style built to wear. **PRICED AT \$4.00**
Child's Dark Brown shoe perfect in every details. Sizes 11-2 to 2. **PRICED AT \$5.00.**

Hobe Brothers Company

COMPILATION OF CASUALTY LISTS GIVEN BY STATES

Washington, D. C., Oct. 30.—On May 4, 1918, the War Department inaugurated a system of giving the address of each soldier whom it reported in its casualty lists. From May 4 to October 24 inclusive the total casualties of soldiers of our armies abroad, as reported by the War Department and sent to the press of the United States for publication, was 45,754. Of this number, the 12 southern states contributed 6,671. The casualties of the southern states in detail are as follows:

Alabama	1055
Arkansas	515
Florida	244
Georgia	695
Louisiana	415
Maryland	423
Mississippi	343
North Carolina	565
South Carolina	304
Tennessee	531
Texas	284
Virginia	597

Total 6,671

The twelve states showing the highest number of casualties and their respective casualties are as follows:

Connecticut	1459
Illinois	2734
Indiana	1284
Iowa	1384
Massachusetts	2626
Michigan	2119
New Jersey	1054
New York	5458
Ohio	1878
Pennsylvania	6752
Wisconsin	2025
Missouri	1112

Total 29,885
These figures do not include losses of transports at sea or the casualties of marines.

On May 4, when the war department began publishing home addresses with the casualties there had been a total of 4950 casualties. These do not appear in the above totals.

The Name of Republic.

The name of Republic is inscribed upon the most imperishable monuments, and it is probable that it will continue to be associated, as it has been in the past ages, with whatever is heroic in character, sublime in genius, and elegant and brilliant in the cultivation of arts and letters. What land has ever been visited with the influence of Liberty that did not flourish like the spring? What people has ever worshipped at her altars without handing with a loftier spirit and putting forth more noble energies? Where has she ever acted that her deeds have not been heroic? Where has she ever spoken that her eloquence has not been triumphant and sublime? Is it nothing, then, to be free? How many nations in the whole annals of human kind have proved themselves worthy of being so?—Hugh Legare.

In Dreams.

"Seems to me," said Mammy Chloe, "dat sometimes you'd rather sleep dan eat." "Speck I would," answered Pickaninny Jim. "Cause when I's asleep I's liable to dream about fried chicken an' spareribs an' sweet potatoes an' watermelon—an' I ain't seen no such dinner as dat in a long time."

"Gusher's" Day Never Long.

There is a certain class of people with whom the gushing person will get a hearing, but this is merely because that particular class enjoys flattery, an art in which the gusher is particularly skillful. But, taken on the whole, human nature appreciates frankness and sincerity. And these two qualities give to the eye an expression which is not to be overlooked in the seeker after beauty.

The Great Test.

Self-control is an easy matter when we are alone, says New Success Magazine. But the moment our lives are thrown in with others, then comes the struggle. To maintain our equanimity, to restrain the sharp retort, the impatient exclamation, to get along smoothly with disagreeable people, without friction or jarring—this is the great life test. This is what builds character, what tests manhood or womanhood, what makes the ideal employee.

TRAINED NURSE GIVES RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR

Gives Recipe for Simple Home-Made Remedy That Quickly Darkens It.

Mrs. A. Dixon, a well known Brooklyn trained nurse, made the following statement regarding gray hair: "Streaked, faded or gray hair can be quickly turned black, brown or light brown, by the use of the following remedy that you can make at home: 'Merely get a small box of Orlex powder at any drug store. It costs very little and no extras to buy. Dissolve it in water and comb it through the hair. Full directions for mixing and use come in each box.'

"You need not hesitate to use Orlex as a \$100.00 gold bond comes in each box guaranteeing the user that Orlex does not contain silver, lead, zinc, mercury, aniline, coal-tar products or their derivatives.

"It does not rub off, is not sticky or gummy and leaves the hair fluffy. It will make a gray haired person look twenty years younger." adv

QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No gripping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime. Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

To Retain Friends.

To retain friends of the right sort means that one must prove a friend of similar caliber. But on the other hand, if a girl or woman is influenced only by display (which at best is an empty, shallow affair) she cannot hope to hold the sincere regard of persons who in truth are worth while. The really level headed girl will cling fast to the honest friends of other less palmy days—perhaps to the friends who make no display but who are sterling through and through.—Exchange.

For Sale

One two-ton truck, almost as good as new. CHEAP.

The Greene County Hardware Co.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS USE BEST.
That's why they use Red Cross Ball Blue. All leading grocers, 5 cents.

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe. Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite to impart color and a youthful appearance to the hair. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

GREAT BARGAINS At ENGILMAN'S

One lot of Children's coats, sizes 10 to 14, in heavy cloth, large collar, pockets and belt, near fur trimming; colors green and blue; worth \$15, each at only 9.00

Ladies' coats and suits, \$9.95, \$13.50, \$17.50, \$19.75 up to \$24.50.

1 lot of ladies' serge and poplin dresses, also taffetas, corduroy and velvet dresses, at \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.95 and \$6.45, up to \$9.95 and \$12.95.

Ladies' and misses' millinery, such as sample hats, at \$1.99, \$2.48, \$3.49, \$3.98 to \$4.45, up to \$8.00 values.

Men's clothing; men's suits and overcoats, at \$9.95, \$11.50, \$14.50, \$16.00 and \$18.50, up to \$25.00 values.

Men's fancy worsted pants, and cassimeres, at \$2.45, \$2.99, \$3.50, \$3.99 and \$4.99.

Children's Knickerbocker suits, sizes 7 to 18, at \$3.99, \$4.99, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$8.95.

Men's ribbed or fleeced underwear, shirts or drawers, at 99c to \$1.24.

Union suits at \$1.74, \$1.95, \$2.24 to \$2.49

Ladies' and children's underwear; vests and pants or union suits, at 74c, 99c, \$1.24 to \$1.73

Men's, boys, ladies' and misses coat sweaters, at \$1.24, \$1.49, \$1.99, \$2.98, \$3.98 to \$4.98.

One lot of short length suitings at only per yard 12c

Apron and dress ginghams at per yard 18c, 20c to 25c

Light and dark percales at only per yard 25c and 30c

Cretons, percales, chevrons and other materials, slightly misprinted, at per yard 25c

Yard wide flannelettes at only per yard 35c

Men's, boys', youths' and little gent's shoes at \$1.98, \$2.49, Including W. L. Douglas at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 to \$5.50.

Ladies' and misses' shoes at \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.95 up to \$7.00.

"THE WIFE"

BY JANE PHELPS

BRIAN TELLS RUTH HE IS GOING TO LEARN TYPE-WRITING.

CHAPTER LXXV.

When Ruth was busy with her interesting, well-paid work, she was happily forgetful of many things that, when she was idle, came home to her with a rush. So now, when Brian said that he almost forgot he had a wife, she determined immediately to impress that fact more strongly than ever upon him.

"I should think they might let you take it easy for a while, and

rest up," he had said when she leaned back in the taxi with a sigh of content at being with him.

"Oh, I'm not so tired! that was a happy sigh," she smiled lovingly at him.

"I have a surprise for you," it was a good time to tell her.

"What is it?" she was all interest at once.

"Your lazy husband is learning type-writing. I am going to type my own letters after this."

"Oh, Brian! how nice," then quickly, she added, "Not because of what it will save, alone, but it will make you much more independent."

"Yes, that's why I am learning. Of course I shall have to leave you alone; but I shall only go twice a week. I have to go evenings, of course."

For a moment Ruth's heart sank. Then she thought, "here I have been urging him to do more, and the first thing he proposes, I want to object," so she smiled and said:

"I shall miss you awfully, but of course I know you can't learn sitting

home with me. You won't be very late at the school, will you?"

"Not very! probably ten or half past." She had mentioned the "school." Not he, but he took no pains to set her right.

"I'll try to be contented."

"You should be! here you have been gone over a week, and I have not kicked!" then he wished he hadn't spoken. What if she asked if he had been alone all the evenings she had been away? "I hope Rachel will have something good! I expect you are fed up on hotel grub," they were on dangerous ground, so he changed the subject.

"Indeed I am! one of Rachel's dinners will taste awfully good. I hope she gave you nice things while I was away."

Brian was saved the necessity of replying by the taxi stopping at the door. He must tell Ruth he had not been home before she had time to question Rachel. But first he must pay the man and take her bags in for her.

After Rachel had been hugged and kissed and told gleefully:

"You just wait, Mammy Rachel, until you see what I have brought you." Brian followed her into the bedroom, where she laid off her things, and said quickly:

"I shall enjoy one of Rachel's dinners, too. Because of the type-writing lessons, I haven't been home to dinner, except the first night. I thought I would get along as far as I could while you were away."

"That was right, you weren't lonely, then. No wonder you said you almost forgot me, if you didn't come home at all," as she replied. Ruth wondered where he DID dine, and a picture of Molly King flashed across her mind. But she would ask no questions, say nothing to spoil their evening together.

"I've got chicken mar'land, honey," Rachel announced, when she called them to come to dinner. "An' co'n fritters an'—"

"Don't tell me any more, Rachel,"

Ruth said, "keep the rest for a surprise," then in an aside to Brian, "I expect she has tired herself out getting a big dinner for us."

Rachel heard.

"Deed I ain't tired, Missy Ruth! I ain't had nothin' to do since you ben gone, I ain't no dinners to cook, an' I has ben turrible lonesome fer ole Rachel."

"Thank goodness I told her I had been out," Brian thought as he saw Rachel disappear into the kitchen, "I knew she'd tell."

"Poor Rachel," Ruth laughed. "I expect she thinks you should have stayed at home and entertained her instead of learning to typewrite. I imagine it WAS lonely for her."

"I told you she would be out of place in a New York flat," Brian replied, rather glad to have what he had told Ruth confirmed. "She'll be leaving you, then you will have a hard time to find a maid as good as Crawford."

"Oh, mammy won't leave. She likes to grumble. Did you ever see a ducky that didn't? But I'll bet a pair of gloves you couldn't get her to go, now that we are together again."

Brian said nothing further, but he thought that he would just as soon have kept Crawford, even if Rachel were the better cook. Rachel would be sure to tell Ruth whenever he remained out when she was away and more than likely would tell the time he came in. He had nothing to worry about for a while, however; Ruth herself had prevented that by saying he would be in "school."

To be truthful, Brian had a shamed feeling as he wondered what Ruth would say if she knew the "school" was in Mollie's flat, and that Mollie, herself, was his teacher.

Tomorrow—Although Ruth has guests, Brian goes to "School."

"TO LICK THE HUNS"

Boy's Summary of Reasons Why We Are at War.

William Travers, aged fifteen, after listening to a long address in the high school at Cove, Ore., on why the United States was in the world war, summed it up in four words on an examination paper afterward. In reply to the question: "Give a summary of the reasons why the United States is at war," Willie wrote:

"To lick the Huns."

HELPS ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS IN CAMP

Most of the great theatrical artists are giving their efforts freely to the entertainment of the soldiers in camps. A recent volunteer for this service is Mme. Takima Miura, the noted Japanese prima donna, who is now out on a tour of the camps. Mme. Miura is shown with Mrs. Newton D. Baker, wife of the secretary of war, herself a talented singer.

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IN A JIFFY STOMACH PAINS LEAVE—FOOD DIGESTS

Pepsinco Works Quickly and Surely. It's The One Stomach Remedy That Never Fails to Do the Expected.

Thousands of persons never leave the table until they take their Pepsinco. It keeps the stomach in fit shape. It keeps the bowels regular. Pepsinco is a safe and sure friend. It's always ready for use. If your meals don't agree with you; if food sours; if an unnecessary fullness follows a meal; if gas pressure effects the heart—take Pepsinco after your meals for awhile. Mrs. H. says she was never without stomach misery till a friend recommended Pepsinco. She took them regularly for a month and now can eat and relish any food set before her. We would suggest if any trouble arises after eating that you do as Mrs. H. did—Take Pepsinco. It can be had at the drug store. Stop and get a package today and save your stomach.

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FORMER XENIA WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. Margaret A. Stump, of Toledo, a resident of Xenia forty years ago, died Monday evening at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, of apoplexy. She was stricken and fell while in the court house at Columbus, a few hours before she died.

Mrs. Stump, who was 74 years of age, was visiting her sister, Miss Nanie Jones, in Columbus. She was a daughter of the late John Jones, of this city, and was born and spent her early life here. She is survived by one son, Frank Jones, of Toledo, and her sister, Miss Nanie Jones, B. E. Snell and John A. Pifer, of this city, are cousins of the decedent.

The body will be brought to Xenia for burial, and is expected here Thursday afternoon.

George B. Earley has been appointed administrator of the estate of Myrtle Fannon. Bond, \$1,000.

R. L. Gowdy was appointed administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of J. William Hartwell. Bond, \$10,000.

The application of Vinton Taylor for appointment as administrator of the estate of Mary I. Taylor, will be for hearing by the court, November 4.

Carrie D. Geyer, as executrix of the will of Lydia Jane Brandenburg, has been granted permission to sell real estate to pay debts. John W. Prugh, T. C. Long and D. W. Cosley were appointed appraisers.

Lora C. Redkey, administratrix of Martha C. Middleton, has been given authority to sell real estate. S. S. Johnson, Rader Adams and William Watt were appointed appraisers.

H. A. Barr, administrator of the estate of Saluda Batts, was given authority to sell real estate. C. N. Stuckey, D. H. White and James E. Mitchell were appointed appraisers.

Clean stoves—that is, clean inside—radiate much more heat than when lined with soot, which is a most effective non-conductor. Hence they give more for the money and save a war essential.

A Nation's Safety depends upon more than wealth or the power of its mighty guns. It rests in its robust children and in its strong, vigorous manhood.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

an ideal constructive tonic-food, brings to the system elements easily assimilated and imparts strength and promotes normal growth.

Scott's Emulsion builds up the weak and fortifies the strong.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

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Good Advice.

The man who doesn't worry when he ought to is as bad as the one who worries when he shouldn't. Worrying is bad for the health, but probably not as bad as letting things drift. In case of rain, run for an umbrella. Instead of saying "Don't Worry" the best advice to give a man in trouble is "Get Busy."—Thrifty Magazine.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Catarrh is a Real Enemy and Requires Vigorous Treatment

Do Not Neglect It.

When you use medicated sprays, atomizers and douches for your Catarrh, you may succeed in unstoping the choked-up air passages for the time being, but this annoying condition returns, and you have to do the same thing over and over again.

Catarrh has never yet been cured by these local applications. Have you ever experienced any real benefit from such treatment?

Throw these makeshift remedies to the winds, and get on the right treatment. Get a bottle of S. S. S., and commence a treatment that has been praised by sufferers for nearly half a century.

S. S. S. gets right at the source of Catarrh, and forces from the blood the germs which cause the disease. You can obtain special medical advice regarding your own case without charge by writing to Medical Director 22 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

PUBLIC SALE!

Having sold my place, I will offer at Public Auction, **November 1, 1918**

at 12:30 sharp at my residence 1 1-2 miles west of Xenia, on the Upper Bellbrook Pike, the following property to-wit:

4—HEAD OF HORSES—4

Consisting of one grey, general purpose team of mares, 12 yrs. old, wt. 1,250. Both single liners, work any place. A better team was never hitched. One brown mare, 6 years old, wt. 1,100 lbs., a good worker and driver, a woman's horse. One gray filly, two years old, wt. 1,150 lbs.

5—HEAD OF CATTLE—5

Consisting of one Jersey cow, 6 years old, giving a good flow of milk and good test; one shorthorn cow, 4 years old, a heavy milker, with a good test; one Jersey heifer, 18 months old, will be fresh in spring; one Holstein and shorthorn heifer, 18 months old, fresh in spring; one three-months-old Holstein and short horn heifer calf.

Four Poland China Sows.

One Hundred Barred Rock Chickens.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—One Troy patent hub wagon and bed (new); one two-horse breaking plow; one forty-tooth harrow; one double shovel plow; one drag; one 1 1-2 yard gravel bed; one 1-yard bed; one new garden plow; one 16-ft. ladder; one 12-ft. step ladder; one 8-ft. step ladder; double trees, single trees, Stretcher scoops, shovels, pitch forks, saws, work harness, buggy harness, flynets, check lines, breast straps, bridles, A-No. 1 riding saddle, chains, cow chains, grain sacks, tool box, harness box, one sleigh and bells; one buck board; one piano box buggy; one 50-gallon butchering kettle, new lard press, meat table, butchering board, lumber, old and new, about three tons mixed hay; two tons baled straw; 80 rods of new barbed wire, troughs.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—One iron bed, springs and mattress; one couch; one Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet; six good kitchen chairs; churn; one new cream can; gasoline stove; one large base burner; Trilby heater almost new; one Quick Meal Range, good as new, wood or coal and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS MADE ON DAY OF SALE.

E. O. BARNETT

WM. MILLS, Auctioneer.

Big Public Sale

I will sell at my residence, two miles from Xenia on the Lower Bellbrook Pike, on

Thursday, October 31, 1918

Beginning at 10:30 A. M. the following property to-wit:

44—HEAD OF CATTLE—44

Twenty head high grade Jerseys; three head Shorthorns; four head Jersey-Holsteins; four head fat heifers. Eighteen of these cows have been fresh since August. Three will be fresh during early part of November. Four will freshen during winter. These cows are all young, high testers and exceptionally heavy milkers.

REGISTERED JERSEY BULLS.

(a) **ELENA'S BELL'S PRINCE**—No. 160938. Sired by the Imported Jersey Bull, Elena's Report Prince.

(b) **STOCKWELL'S R. C.**—Sired by Sultan Gamboge of B. S. Two high grade Jersey Bulls, sired by the Imported Bull, Elena's Report Prince, and out of high producing dams. These bulls are all exceptionally well bred and just right for light service. These Jerseys spring from a Show Herd of Registered Jerseys. Of late years the registration has been neglected, but we have spared nothing in keeping at the head of the herd the best pure bred dairy bulls obtainable.

175—HEAD IMMUNED HOGS—175

Twelve brood sows, will be through farrowing by day of sale. 160 shoats ranging from 140 lbs. down. Just right for the feed lot or to turn with cattle this winter.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE.

FRANK BARNETT

Grieve and Mills, Auctioneers. Frank Bickett, Clerk.

A reliable cold tablet. Pleasant to take and guaranteed. Remember it.

STOP! THAT COLD WITH LANE'S TABLETS

FOR COLDS AND GRIP

PUBLIC SALE!

HAVING DECIDED TO QUIT FARMING, I WILL SELL ON THE **1st Day of November, 1918**

ON THE FARM KNOWN AS W. H. BARBER FARM 1-3 MILE WEST OF CEDARVILLE, BEGINNING AT 10 O'CLOCK, SHARP, THE FOLLOWING:

5 HORSES

Consisting of a team of Pure Bred Percheron mares, 10 and 11 years old, wt. 3100 lbs; 1 good family road mare, 12 years old; 1 sorrel mare, 7 years old, by Wildomar, dam, Red Wilkes; 1 sorrel mare 3 years old by Wildomar, dam Maple Bell.

13 HEAD OF CATTLE

Four No. 1 milch cows, two fresh, one with calf by side; 2—2 year old steers; 2—2 year old heifers; 2 yearling steers; 2 heifers calves.

30 Head of Hogs

Some Shoats and Feeding Hogs

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One wagon and with box bed; 1 wagon with hog rack and bed; 2 spring wagons, one with top; 2 buggies, one with rubber tires; 1 break cart and one track cart; 1 corn planter and check rows, with 100 rods wire; one butchering outfit; 1 McCormick binder, with sheaf carrier, good as new; 1 McCormick mower, good as new; 1 revolving haw rake; 1 Farmers' Favorite Fertilizer drill, good as new; 1 manure spreader; 1 hay tedder, 1 field roller; 1 gravel bed; 1 fan mill; 1 barrel pure cider vinegar; 3 breaking plows; 1 disc harrow; 2 cultiv

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WE PAY THE BEST PRICE

For Milk and Sour Cream

If you have any to sell see us. BRING IT IN.

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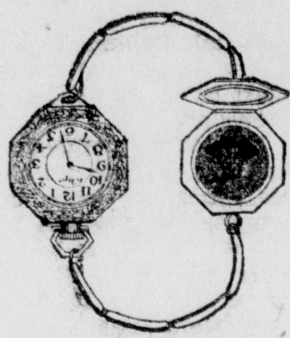
DO YOU LIKE GOOD BUTTER? TRY GREENE COUNTY BUTTER. WE MAKE IT OURSELVES.

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HILL STREET.

Phone 39. MAIN

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With a Service Setting or Plain.
ITS THE FINEST PIECE OF JEWELRY EVER SHOWN
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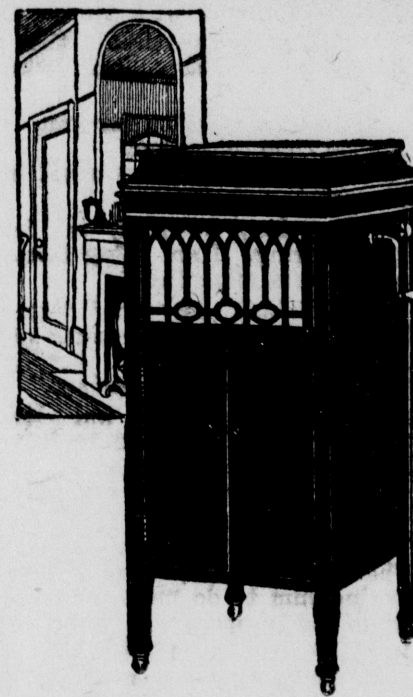
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Jewelry and Optical Store,
NO. 9 WEST MAIN STREET. XENIA, OHIO.

SO MANY ARE BUYING THEM FOR CHRISTMAS.

Come in and see how this combination works. Then they cost so little. Don't wait as they are selling on sight. We keep everything in the Jewelry, Silverware and Cut Glass line and don't forget us when you need eye glasses.

WHITT WILL TREAT YOU RIGHT.



A Free Concert

In your Home Every Night.
Buy a
BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH
\$32.50 UP

You can pay more, but you'll never get anything that reproduces the human voice any better. It plays all records, and it is the only famous instrument with the ultona. That's why it plays any record. There is but one Brunswick dealer in Xenia.

LEROEY BROWER
- Furniture Dealer
36-38 West Main St.

XENIA DRY CLEANING CO.

These are days of SAVING. Everything in wearing apparel for Ladies and Gents. Misses and Children has gone up almost double in price.

WHY NOT LET US DRY CLEAN OR DYE

Your soiled suits, coats and all other garments. If you do that your old clothes will be made to be almost as good as new and look what you will SAVE.

WE DO La FRANCE DRY CLEANING—STEAM DYEING.

And we know we can please you as we are pleasing hundreds of others. We dry clean anything and call for and deliver the goods.

Bell Phone 401-W Citizen Phone 207
H. C. PETERS & SONS, Props.
29 Green Street.

Missing Word Contest Page

This Contest Prepared, Owned and controlled by J. Fred Jones,
Pittsburgh, Pa. Infringements not allowed.

Educational Missing Word Contest.

Return Answer Blank

The Missing Word for 1st Week October 30, 1918

Was found by (Full Name)

..... (Town and R. R.)

The word was and should appear

in advertisement

between words and

Fill out this blank with answer. Cut out and return to Gazette-Republican office, Xenia, Ohio, not later than the following Tuesday, at 5 p. m.

XMAS JEWELRY

BUYING IS ON IN EARNEST AT

F. J. H. SCHELL'S

Leading Jewelry Store—Steele Building
ON THE CORNER

DIAMONDS

We have them from the smallest to the very largest at Lowest Prices... Gold Watches, Bracelet Watches, Bracelets, LaVallieres, Signet Rings, Brooches, Studs, Waldemere Chains, Stick Pins, Locket and chains, Fountain Pens, Manicure, Smoking and Toilet Sets, Silverware, Cut Glass etc. Many other things. Select your gifts now and we will set them aside for you.

DO YOUR XMAS BUYING NOW

The Oldest Established Lumber Company
in the County.

And for Many Miles Around is

The McDowell & Torrence Lumber Co.

DETROIT and THIRD ST.
XENIA, OHIO

All we want to say is this. Mr. Farmer, your farm implements cost you big money, see that all of them are kept in good dry shed or barn. If you

Need Lumber, Sash Doors, Shingles, Blinds,
Mouldings at Factory Prices See us.

IF "ANYBODY" is going to build anything it will pay you to get an estimate from us before going elsewhere.

BOTH PHONES.

J.A. BEATTY AND SON DEPENDABLE FURNITURE

LET US FURNISH YOUR HOME

WE CAN DO IT BETTER AND FOR LESS.

'Tis true we do a big Furniture and Rug Business. We have built up the immense trade we enjoy through fair and honest dealing. If you need anything at all in the highest grade of Furniture—SEE US.

SELLERS KITCHEN CABINET

Every woman should put one in her home. It helps a whole lot. Come in and see it Demonstrated..

\$40.00 BUYS A WINDSOR TALKING MACHINE.

We have larger ones at a higher price. We are exclusive agents for this wonderful machine
21 Green Street Both Phones. XENIA, O.

The Xenia Garage Company

J. B. RICE, General Manager.

OPPOSITE THE SHOE FACTORY IS

THE OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS.

If Public Opinion is Worth Anything for—
AUTO ACCESSORIES
Every Kind and Make.
GOOD YEAR TIRES.

Have the call. We are the service Station for all
Good Year Tires and Tubes, also
HAVOLINE OILS AND GREASES.

Non-Skid Chains, Full line of Springs, Vista Dry Cell Batteries.

FINEST AND SAFEST FIREPROOF GARAGE IN GREENE COUNTY.

STORE YOUR CAR FOR WINTER HERE.

Best Price—All auto expert work guaranteed—See us for anything— BOTH PHONES.



Good Books

Place good books within the reach of your children, and they will never read the cheap trashy kind. We have received our Xmas stock and invite you to come in and look them over. The latest books

OF WORLD'S GREATEST WAR

Are already off the press. Get them here. Headquarters for

FINE STATIONERY
SCHOOL SUPPLIES
OFFICE SUPPLIES
XMAS CARDS
CALLING AND OTHER CARDS
PERIODICALS, SPORTING GOODS, ETC.

THIS IS XENIA'S UP-TO-DATE BOOK STORE.

W. E. Boring Book Store
XENIA, OHIO.

L. S. BARNES & CO.

XENIA'S LEADING WALL PAPER,
PAINT AND ART STORE.

We are showing an exclusive line of fine fall patterns in wall paper and mouldings. Come in and see them.

WE HANG WALL PAPER.
WE DO INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR DECORATING.
WE MAKE FRAMES TO ORDER.
WE SELL THE BEST PAINTS.

For Christmas and all kinds of Post Cards and Fine Stationery etc., See Us.

We sell all kinds of Magazines and take subscriptions for same. McCall Patterns for Sale Here.

Green St. Both Phones. XENIA, O.

For 35 Years

I have been making SUITS TO MEASURE for the men and young men of Xenia and vicinity and have the first time to displease a single customer. If you want a good suit with an individuality to it let me make it for you.

KANY The Tailor

Is the maker of the kind of clothes gentlemen wear.

NO FIT—NO PAY IS
KANY'S GOOD WAY.

We only handle the very best wools and we only do first class work.

WE DO NOT AND WE
WILL NOT DO CHEAP
SHABBY WORK.

For a real tailor made suit or overcoat see

JACOB KANY
XENIA, OHIO.

ALL THAT'S NEW IN THE CREATIONS OF FINE MILLINERY YOU WILL FIND AT THIS STORE.

OUR TRIMMED HATS

Are admired, because there is an Exclusiveness about them. We not only sell Hats, but make them. Just come and pick out your shape, select your trimmings and we'll do the rest.

TRIMMED HATS AS LOW AS \$3.00
Toques for Elderly Ladies.

IDA S. SINZ

MILLINER STEELE BLDG. XENIA, O.

FLOYD ANDERSON FLORIST

101 West Main St. - - - - - XENIA, OHIO
Bell Phone 681—Citizen Phone 174.

FLOWERS AND POTTED PLANTS FOR ALL OCCASIONS.
Funeral emblems assembled quickly in most artistic manner and Delivered.

FLOWERS FRESH DAILY.

If You Want Any Floral Decorating See

ANDERSON, THE FLORIST.

ARE YOU A SUFFERER FROM PAIN

Have you been taking doctors' medicine for years for your trouble, still you are suffering? Do you want to get well, that life will be no longer a burden to you?

THEN COME AND SEE ME—DO YOU KNOW THAT 85% of diseases common to man, woman or child emanate from the Spine, that Great Nerve Center.

CHIROPRACTIC

IS NATURE'S NEW REMEDY.

Fred C. Heilman, D. C.

Located, Second Floor, Room 2, Kingsbury Bldg.

Is a registered and graduate Chiropractic. He uses no medicine or knife, but locates your trouble and adjusts that portion of the spine reaching the nerve, which gives you the constant pain.

IT WILL PAY ALL SUFFERING FOLKS TO SEE HIM.

Hundreds have been made well—So you can be.

COME AND SEE ME TODAY.

To See Me Means Health and Happiness.

OFFICE HOURS—9 to 12—2 to 5—7 to 8.

Bell Phone 999-R For Appointments.



As Light Goes Through Glass

Just as light rays penetrate through glass, so current passes freely through Threaded Rubber Insulation. Nearly 200,000 tiny threads in each insulator mark the path for the current flow.

The hard rubber stands guard against the formation of short circuits between battery plates.

There's another reason why the Still Better Willard Battery with Threaded Rubber Insulation is worth so much more than its slightly higher cost. It's the one and only battery with the "Bone Dry" principle that is your absolute assurance of getting a battery as new as the day it left the factory.

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STORAGE BATTERY
SERVICE STATION

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THE L. C. R. STORAGE BATTERY CO.,
Geo. W. Lane, Manager
118 East Main St. XENIA. Both Phones

The Bocklet-King Co.

THE BIG SUPPLY HOUSE

—We carry all kinds of Engine and Boiler Trimmings.
—Brass Valves, Cocks, etc., for Steam, Gas and Water.
—Pipe, Fittings, Hose, Belting, Oils, Greases and Packing.

WE REPAIR

—Automobiles, Engines, Boilers and Machinery of all kinds.
—Natural Gas Supplies, Chandeliers, Etc.
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Gas, Steam and Water Fitting, Hot Water and Steam Heating.
EXPERIMENTAL WORK A SPECIALTY.

415 W. Main St., Both Telephones. XENIA, OHIO

NO JOB TOO SMALL OR TOO LARGE

THERE IS NO BETTER BATTERY
MADE THAN THE

Gould Battery

If you want a real Battery that will give you more power and last you twice as long as any battery on the market, get the Gould Battery.

THE CENTRAL GARAGE CO.

is the sole agent for county, and will give you service free on all Gould Batteries. See us for your next Battery.

Automobile Supplies, Storage, Repairing, Ford Parts etc.

Bell phone 671. XENIA, OHIO. Cit. phone 301

Pure Milk and Cream

Is the demand these days, so much sickness is caused by impure milk. The safe dealer is

REEVE'S Dairy

Always has pure milk and is always on the job. Call us on

PHONE BELL 965R

REEVES DAIRY.

CREAM THAT IS
ALL CREAM
Is the Fuller Ice
Cream.

When you eat it once you want it again. It has the rich flavor, and 100 per cent Pure. When at fountains and Ice cream parlors ask for

Fuller's Ice Cream

THE FULLER ICE CREAM
AND SODA WATER CO.

Both Phones.

"Belden's Flour"

How many times have you heard this and have never tried "Belden's" yet?

Now—get some—you'll want to use it always—

This "Belden" Straight Flour is made in a sanitary—clean—up-to-date mill—by millers of long experience, and must naturally come up to the "Belden" standard.

FOR SALE IN ALL GROCERIES

Missing Word Contest Page

\$50
FOR THE MISSING WORD
Can You Find It?
\$50

CONDITIONS—In one of these advertisements on these pages, a word is missing. To be a winner you are to find this word and the advertisement from which it is omitted, and between what words it should be inserted. A new word will be omitted each Wednesday and may be omitted from the same advertisement more than once. The contest will continue for 12 weeks, to be run once a week only, every Wednesday.

The person finding all or the most of the correct words will be given \$25. The second \$15, the third \$5 and five \$1 prizes will be awarded to the next five highest.

The missing word this week commences with R and ends with D.

All answers must be filed at the Gazette-Republican office not later than the following Tuesday, at 5 p. m.

Men's Fall and Winter Wear

SPECIAL ALL Wool Suits \$22.50 Special All wool Serges \$28-\$30

C. A. WEAVER

MUSIC LOVERS OF XENIA AND VICINITY.

This space will be used during the next twelve weeks to tell you about THE DAYTON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC. We want you to know not only who we are, where we are located and what we are doing; but also about our teachers, our courses of study, our equipment, our ideals and what we are trying to do for this section of Ohio, in a musical way. An advertisement running 12 weeks as this will, gives us an opportunity for connected statement and we suggest that you cut out each week's "ad" and arrange them in their order. In these days of paper saving, bulky catalogues are an unpatriotic waste. These weekly "talks" will take their place and to all who send us a statement that they have saved all twelve "ads" we will send a colored picture of the interior of the "Conservatory." There will also be musical puzzles for the "kiddies" and other interesting features.

Next Week We Will Tell You About our Piano Department.
Yours Sincerely,

Dayton Conservatory of Music

127 West Monument Ave. Charles Arthur Ridgeway, Director

City Market Co.

A CLEAN SANITARY MARKET.

Where meats are handled with the greatest of care. Our great electric refrigerator plant does away with all ice, and keeps the temperature always at a freezing point, which keeps our meats in perfect condition. We do all our own killing, and we give you 16 ounces to every pound. This is one way to keep your health in perfect condition by buying your meat from

CITY MARKET CO.

37 East Main Street. XENIA, OHIO

Singer Sewing Machine

IS THE OLD RELIABLE. Always can be depended on. Never fails. When you get SINGER'S you get the best. Why not make wife a Christmas gift of one. Come and see us.

52 E. Main St. Xenia, Ohio

SUTTON'S Music Store

Xenia's Big Music House.

Where everything in music can be had, Why not a beautiful PLAYER PIANO for the whole household for CHRISTMAS. No better gift could be given to any home than one of our PLAYER-PIANOS. It will bring cheer into the house and makes a beautiful piece of furniture. We keep a great line of music rolls and we feel sure we have what you want.

Xenia Vulcanizing Co.

109 WEST MAIN STREET.

Phone 104-R—Sells and are Exclusive agents for

Racine and Goodrich Tires and Tubes

They are made from the pure rubber and stand the most severe test of any road. We want you to try either when you need a new tire. We have sold so many of them hence we know of their sterling quality and value to every automobile owner.

FOR OILS GAS, GREASES

And Other Accessories. See us.

VULCANIZING

If you want a first-class job of vulcanizing to Tire or Tube let us do it for you. We know the business from A to Z and guarantee our work.

WE KNOW WE CAN PLEASE YOU.

XENIA IRON AND METAL CO., DEALERS IN JUNK OF ALL KINDS

GABLE THE JUNK DEALER

Always pays the highest price. Always gives a square deal GABLE is one Junk Dealer who always treats you right. No dishonest dealings, but fair and square.

We Want all Your Woolen and Cotton Rags, Old Rubber, Old Metals, Paper Stocks and etc.

WE BUY AND SELL NEW AND SECOND HAND GOODS.

Just call us on Phone, Bell Phone 144, Citizens 117 and we will call at your home. Nothing too small or too large for us.

NO 17 CINCINNATI AVE. XENIA, OHIO

Ruined

How sad that word is. Never the less it is true. Many a man has saved all his earnings to build himself a home —then neglected to take out AN INSURANCE POLICY. When fire came along and swept it all away. The moral is Don't Neglect to take out a fire insurance policy, but go right to

Clara G. Reutinger

INSURANCE AGENT,

No. 19 South Detroit St.
XENIA, OHIO.

No Man Can Be a Soldier

OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
UNLESS HIS TEETH MEASURES UP.
If it is important for a man to be a soldier that way, it is just as important that you be physically fit for any other duty in life. GOOD SOUND TEETH MEAN TO YOU GOOD HEALTH—A GOOD APPEARANCE AND A LONG AND HAPPY LIFE.
As a Leader in His Profession in Dayton, Ohio, is

DR. BOYLES, Dentist

22 1-2 Fourth street, Dayton Ohio, opposite the Arcade and within a minute's walk of where the Xenia car comes in, gives you the very best dental service at the least price. He has a large trade from Xenia people and appreciates it. If you would have the very best dental work without having to pay an exorbitant amount for it, go to Dr. Boyles, who will save you your car fare many times over. His large following in Dayton is proof of his good work. MAKE HIM YOUR DENTIST.

A DAY'S WAGES

Saved now, will presently buy twice as much as if spent at this time. This chance will probably never come again. Let us send you a Pass Book. You can mail us your deposits just as well as if made at the office.

Depositors in almost every neighborhood in Greene County. 12,000 patrons—banks and bankers, as well as small savers. Deposits over three and one half million dollars. Send for Booklet of Information.

AMERICAN LOAN & SAVINGS ASSOCIATION.

Davies Bldg. Dayton, Ohio

THAT GERMAN HAND DRIPPING WITH BLOOD

What makes this powerful German thing so horrible is that its soul has been destroyed. From human understanding it is utterly cut off. When the world talks of morality, of right and wrong, of faith and humanity, of something higher than the law of self-preservation, it leers and says: "Hyprocity has its uses. But let's get through with all the necessary phrases and talk of what we mean." It does not know what we are talking about. It does not know fundamentally why we are at war with what it represents. And it does not know that it doesn't know. More terrifying than its crimes is the unfathomable fact that it is apparently unaware of its criminality. Therefore, it cannot comprehend the horror with which civilization regards its acts. This seems a necessary conclusion, for how otherwise could you account for the face with which it insults its enemies proposing first a truce and then negotiations?

The new Imperial Chancellor speaks of a "new" German government and of a "new" epoch in Germany's internal history, dating from a decree of the Hohenzollerns. He has the colossal impudence—or shall we say the abysmal misunderstanding?—to say that at the peace negotiations the new German government shall use its efforts to stipulate in the treaties for conditions and institutions in all lands to improve the lot of the laborers.

All of that is German rubbish. The Kaiser also speaks. It seems incredible. He says:

"But I will only extend my hand for an honorable peace."

The world will not touch that hand. The German Kaiser has but one peace to make, and that is his own peace with God. And as we believe, in God so we believe that he cannot make peace with Him until he has

paid a price beyond the power of mankind to imagine. That is God's own business. He leaves much for us to do, in our way, with all the faith and fortitude we have.

Little as the Germans know of the moral values which the rest of us will save or perish in the effort, they seem to know even less about the temperaments of the American people.

They thought we sold arms and ammunition to the Allies for profit only.

They thought we shelved the Lusitania atrocity from motives of cowardice and greed, commingled.

They thought we were pacifists and profiteers entirely.

They thought we went into the war without meaning to fight.

They thought we were half German. And they now apparently think we are willing to embrace peace because it can be proved that it would be to our material advantage to end the war.

They address their overtures to us, pretending to accept in principle the conditions of peace laid down by President Wilson. But they are wrong.

We are not the peace makers. We are the war makers.

It is true that we have laid down certain abstract conditions of peace, but these concern only our allies and ourselves and are not open to Germany for discussion.

We have laid down one condition of war—one only—and that is to use force, force to the utmost, force without stint or limit, until we shall have destroyed forever in this world the indecent, intolerable, criminal thing that now holds out its dripping hand.

Tell your people that, Prince Maximilian of Baden, and if they can understand an epoch may begin.

PRETTY WEDDING IS SOLMENIZED AT SOUTH CHARLESTON

Greene county friends of the bride's family are interested in the marriage of Miss Mabelle McDorman, daughter of Mrs. Otto McDorman of South Charleston, to Captain Walter Highgate Dubard of Ft. Jackson, Columbia, S. C., which took place at the McDorman home at noon Wednesday.

The officiating clergymen was the Rev. J. K. Gibson, chaplain at the National Military Home, Dayton. Both bridegroom and the clergyman were attired in uniform. The ceremony took place beneath an archway twined with smilax. The ring bearer was little Anne Amelia Bateman, and the ribbon bearers were the Misses Anna Colvin and Eliza Cheney. The girls wore white and carried pink and lavender ribbons and baskets filled with pink and lavender blossoms.

The bride came down the stairway with her mother. Her gown was of white satin trimmed with pearls and she carried a bouquet of orchids and bride's roses. Her mother wore her own wedding gown of ivory satin and rose point lace.

A wedding breakfast was served following the ceremony. There were 150 guests at the wedding. Captain Dubard is the owner of a cotton plantation near Dubard, Miss., and at the end of the war, he and his bride will live there.

MOTORAIDS

Keeping the motor clean is necessary for its efficiency. A dirty motor may be readily cleaned with a stiff brush and a pint of gasoline. Brush it off thoroughly with the brush moistened in the gasoline and then wipe clean. If a brother motorist asked to look at the motor, it may then be displayed without shame.

PACIFIC TRADE THREATENS SUPREMACY OF EASTERN PORTS



The War Dog, The first steel ship launched on Canada's Pacific coast. Sir John Willison

Like the maritime cities of Greece and Rome and the Italian city-states, whose prosperity of old was measured by the fleets of ships that plied among them and to the far places of the known world, the Province of British Columbia in Canada proposes to gather its own fleet of merchant vessels and compete in the ports of all nations for Canada's share in world commerce.

The ship yards are full, and more contracts are being taken for wood and steel cargo boats, and plans to the care of harbor development for the next twenty years are under way by the Dominion government.

Ship-building and the development of an export trade that will put Canada's vast natural resources in the proper relation to world markets are part of the program of the Canadian Industrial Reconstruction Association with national headquarters in Toronto, of which Baron Shaughnessy and Sir John Willison are spokesmen. "Much that was imported before the war will be manufactured in the future, for only by completing the processes of manufacture in Canada," they declare, "can the greatest advantages be derived from the country's natural resources." Canada is looking to new trade with

in the empire, to Siberia and the Orient, and to South America, as markets for its agricultural and industrial products.

Since the Panama Canal made British Columbia another front door for Canada, the port of Vancouver has been expanded to meet vast new trade opportunities. A government terminal elevator with a capacity of 1,250,000 bushels prepared the way for the grain now pouring out of the prairie provinces to the west coast for transshipment to England. In twenty years it is estimated the volume of grain going out from the west will be between 700,000,000 and 900,000,000 bushels.

ONLY TWO MONTHS LEFT IN WHICH TO BUY WAR STAMPS

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 30.—After Thursday, there will be only two months remaining of this year in which judicious and patriotic investors of Ohio can buy War Savings Stamps of the 1918 issue. That Ohioans generally appreciate the merit of this security for investment purposes is evidenced by the assertion that upwards of 3,000,000 people in the state now own War Savings Stamps.

For the remainder of October, War Savings Stamps can be purchased for \$4.21 each. The "limit" amount, \$1000—maturity value—costs \$842.

In November, the price of \$1000 of War Savings Stamps advances to \$844, and in December to \$846. For an investment of these sums, the government will pay \$1000 on January 1, 1923, or at the rate of 4.27 per cent interest.

THREE YANKEES WIN HIGH HONOR

It took nerve and plenty of it to perform the feat that won Second Lieutenant Daniel W. Bender, one of the first decorations as Chevalier of the Legion of Honor awarded an American by the French.

Bender was gas officer of a battalion during the heavy fighting in the Forest de Metz, on the Marne front, on July 18. The Germans were laying over a terrific bombardment. There was a suspicion that the torrent of high explosives from the enemy's guns contained also a mixture of gas shells. Thick smoke filled the forest, neutralizing any odor that might have emanated from poisonous shells.

The situation was extremely dangerous. Bender volunteered to find out whether or not gas shells were coming over and deliberately left cover and walked about exposed ground in search of German "duds"—shells that had failed to explode. He found two "duds," coolly examined both while a German barrage was raking the forest, and sent back his report. A bursting shell wounded him as he rose to continue his search, but he made his way on through the underbrush, looking for more unexploded shells until he was wounded a second time and fell in a faint through loss of blood. When he regained consciousness he sent word back to his battalion commander, explaining his failure to return.

It was in the same battle that Capt. E. A. Cook of New York city, won the same decoration. Cook's citation reads as follows:

"After being severely wounded he retained command of his company and gallantly led his men more than two hours under heavy artillery and machine gun fire. His company being depleted, he went to the rear for reinforcements and brought them up into position himself and did not return from the lines until forced to do so through exhaustion caused by the loss of blood."

Deed of Gallantry. The citation of First Lieutenant Harry W. Caygill, who was also made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, follows:

"He led his company with most distinguished gallantry on July 18th and 19th near Vierzy. Accompanied by one man, he went forward with a pistol and in personal combat overcame and captured a machine gun nest arresting the advance of his company."

Twenty-Four Hour Time in China. In China time is calculated on a basis of a 24-hour stretch instead of two 12-hour periods, as we are still doing. This is indicated by a time table of the Shanghai-Nanking railway. We have, for instance: Tanyang, 12:00; Chikiang, 12:52; Nanking, 14:15; Pukow, 15:30. Italy also is using 24-hour time. The day begins at one o'clock in the morning and ends with midnight at 24 o'clock.

CAPTAIN DARLINGTON FAILS TO SEE XENIANS

"While enroute here, I passed through a town where a number of Xenia boys are said to be billeted. I did not see any of them however, and I imagine they have more to do than go to the station and see the trains go through."

Captain Charles L. Darlington, writing to the Gazette to give his correct European address, made the above remark. Captain Darlington's address is: Hdq. 342nd Inf., American E. F. France A. P. O. 916.

VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR NOW AT REST

With the honor befitting a veteran of the civil war, who had served throughout the conflict, William Ellsberry was laid to rest in Woodland cemetery.

Members of Lewis Post G. A. R., of which Mr. Ellsberry had for many years been officer of the day, attended the service which was held at the home on East Market street, and conducted the burial ritual of the order at the grave in Woodland. Rev. A. J. Kestle officiated at the funeral service, assisted by Dr. C. P. Proudfoot. Bearing the casket were: Oliver Whitson, C. C. Buckles, J. C. Andrews, Charles Wilson, Isaac Smith, and John W. Hedges, members of Lewis Post.

Mother Tells How Cuticura Healed Baby's Itching Eczema

On Face and Head Could Not Sleep Nights Hair Fell Out

"When four months old, my baby had itching and burning eczema on his face and head. The skin was sore and red, and the eczema caused disfigurement for the time being. He scratched himself and was very fretful and restless. He could not sleep nights, and he kept me awake also. The eczema caused his hair to fall out.

"He had the eczema about two months. One night I read about Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and started to use them, and after using one box of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of Soap he was entirely healed. He is now three years old and has not been troubled with eczema since." (Signed) Mrs. Marie Ward, 904 Fitzgerald St., Bay City, Mich., July 17, 1917.

Cuticura is a pure, gentle soap, ideal for every-day toilet use. Assisted by touches of Cuticura Ointment as needed it does much to prevent skin and scalp troubles.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address postcard, "Cuticura, Dept. R. Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 15c. and 50c.

DRUGGISTS! PLEASE NOTE VICK'S VAPORUB OVERSOLD DUE TO PRESENT EPIDEMIC

Tremendous Demand Last Few Days Has Wiped Out Excess Stocks That We Had Estimated Would Last Until Next January. Last Week's Orders Called for One and Three Quarter Million Jars—Today's Orders Alone Amount to 932,459 Jars.

Big Shipments Are EnRoute to Jobbers. Until These Arrive There May Be a Temporary Shortage. All Deals Postponed—Buy in Small Lots Only.

RETAILERS CAN GET IMMEDIATE SHIPMENTS DIRECT BY PARCELS POST.

This advertisement is written on Monday, October 21st. It is directed to the attention of all distributors of Vick's Vaporub, both wholesale and retail. In an emergency such as the present epidemic—our duty—and your duty—is to distribute Vaporub in the quickest possible manner to those sections stricken by influenza. We therefore, call your careful attention to the following:

DANGER OF SHORTAGE IF SUPPLY IS NOT CONSERVED

On October 1st we had on hand, at our factory and in twenty warehouses scattered over the country, sufficient Vaporub to last us, we thought until January 1st, allowing for a 50 per cent increase over last year's sales, and not counting our daily output. This big excess stock had been accumulated during the summer months.

Then this epidemic of Spanish influenza hit us—and in the last 10 days this stock has vanished. At first we thought this tremendous demand would last only a few days, but the orders have run:

Wed., Oct. 16—16,504 Doz.
Thurs., Oct. 17—25,323 Doz.
Fri., Oct. 18—29,256 Doz.
Sat., Oct. 19—45,823 Doz.
Mon., Oct. 21—77,705 Doz.

Up to Saturday, October 19th, we have actually shipped for this month \$400,284.10, or over two million jars of Vaporub.

THE PROBLEM NOW IS TO DISTRIBUTE VAPORUB QUICKLY

Most of this tremendous quantity is still en route to the jobbers, but freight and express are both congested nowadays, and it may be some time before this supply reaches the jobbers. In the meantime, therefore, it is necessary that we distribute, as widely as possible, the stock that we are manufacturing daily, together with that now on the jobbers' and retailers' shelves, in order that it may get to the influenza districts quickly. Our normal output is about 4,000 dozen per day. We are putting on a night shift, but it will be a little while before that is producing.

WHAT WE ASK THE WHOLESALE DRUGGIST TO DO

Last Saturday we notified all of our jobbers, by Special Delivery, as follows:

- 1st—Deals and quantity shipments of all kinds are cancelled. Fill no quantity orders of any kind, whether taken by our salesmen or by your own. Sell in small lots only.

The Vick Chemical Company, Greensboro, N. C.

EMPHATICALLY ASSERTS WORN OUT, LAGGING MEN CAN QUICKLY BECOME VIGOROUS AND FULL OF AMBITION

7 A DAY FOR 7 DAYS

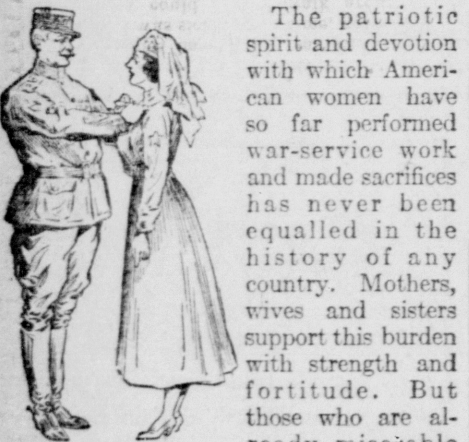
Don't blame the man who is perpetually tired; his blood needs more red corpuscles and his brain and nerves are craving for food. Given the right kind of medicine, any tired-out, inactive, lagging fellow can quickly be made into a real live, energetic and even ambitious man. So says a student of the nervous system who advises all men and women who feel worn out and who find it hard to get up ambition enough to take a regular job to get a package of Bio-feren at once. Then if you still lack ambition; if your nerves are not steady and you haven't the energy that red-blooded, keen-minded men possess, your purchase money will be gladly returned. Note to Physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-feren. It is printed on every package. Here it is: Leucithin; Calcium Glycophosphate; Iron Peptonate; Manganese Peptonate; East-Nux Vomica; Powdered Gentian; Phenolphthalein; Oleoresin Capsicum; Kola. adv

Where Better Furniture Costs No More

The Criterion
A Store for Dad and the Boys

J.A. Beatty & Son

RECEIVING WAR CROSS



The patriotic spirit and devotion with which American women have so far performed war-service work and made sacrifices has never been equalled in the history of any country. Mothers, wives and sisters support this burden with strength and fortitude. But those who are already miserable

from the complaints and weaknesses which are so common to women, should take the right tonic for the womanly system. If a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nervousness or dizzy spells, by headache or backache, "Favorite Prescription" should be taken. "Favorite Prescription" can now be had in tablet form as well as liquid at most drug stores. Send to Doctor Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a ten-cent trial package of tablets.

For fifty years Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets have been most satisfactory in liver and bowel troubles.

Hamilton, Ohio.—"I can safely say that Dr. Pierce's medicines have saved my life. About ten years ago I was sick all the time. Got so weak and nervous I could hardly walk around. I had woman's trouble and stomach trouble and almost everything ailed me. I thought that I would never be well again. One day I read a little book that had been thrown in the yard, and I learned about Dr. Pierce's remedies so I walked along slowly to the drug store and purchased two bottles, one of 'Favorite Prescription' and one of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and after taking two bottles of each I felt like a new woman."—Mrs. Sarah, 619 Edgely St.

ADDITIONAL MISSING WORD CONTEST ADS.

ABE HYMAN

11 WEST MAIN ST.

I keep for sale all of the seasonable fruits and vegetables at all times.

You can save money by trading here, as we buy in car load lots.

We Make Deliveries Promptly and Properly. Careful attention given small orders as well as large ones.

Your Trade Solicited.

Smith's Garage

Where all repairing is done by skilled mechanics, with years of experience. No job too small or too large for us. See us for the work that stands the test.

Our Prices are Always Reasonable.

Rear of 28 West Second St. XENIA, OHIO.

L. E. SWIGART, Mgr.

STOP LADIES !!!

You can be fully satisfied in the selection of your millinery at

BRABEC'S MILLINERY

Ladies Beautifully Trimmed Hats.....\$3.50 Girls Beautifully Trimmed Hats.....\$3.00

Children's Hats \$2.50. Toques for older ladies \$4.50. We make hats to suit your taste. Full line of Trimmings.

7 MAIN ST.—20 YEARS EXPERIENCE.



Resinol surely did relieve that eczema!

Pack up some Resinol Ointment in his "old kit bag." Nothing is too good for him, and he will need it "over there" where exposure, vermin, contagions, and the exigencies of a soldier's life cause all sorts of skin irritation, itching, sore feet and suffering. Resinol Ointment stops itching almost instantly. It heals little sores before they can become big ones. It assures skin comfort. For sale by all dealers.